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10th "	Karmala	9000	—	—
18th "	Khiva	9000	—	—
22nd "	Arabia	8000	—	—
[illegible]th "	Nellore	7000	—	—
5th Novr.	Salsette	6000	Mosea	11000
12th "	Kashmir	9000	....	
19th "	Salsette	6000	Medina	12500
16th "	Caledonia	8000	....	
3rd Decr.	Salsette	6000	Mongolia	10060
10th "	Khyber	9000	....	
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1st Oct.	Malta	7000	Malwa *	11000
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BRITISH INDIA SAILINGS.

Date	Steamer	Destination
20th Sept.	Matiana	London
29th Sept.	Dunera	Aden
*21st Sept.	Linga	Karachi direct.
23rd Sept.	Lhasa	Karachi coasting
25th Sept.	Dilwara	E. and S. Africa via Porebunder and Seychelles
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Steamers.	Class.	Tons.	Leave Liverpool about.
City of Lahore	A&C	6948	22nd Sept.
*City of Paris	A&C	9006	2nd Oct.
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City of Cairo	A&C	7700	10th Nov.

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Banyei Maru	....	2844	27th Sept.	11th Oct.
Yetorofu Maru	K. Ogura	[illegible]	[illegible]th Oct	16th Oct.
Tenshin Maru	R. Ozaki	4173	[illegible]th Oct.	20th Oct.
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Malay Maru ..	4515	Y. Nemoto	12th Oct.	23rd Oct.

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Interest allowed on daily balance from Rs. 300 to Rs. 1,000 at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum and on sums over Rs. 1,00,000 by special arrangement. No interest which does not come to Rs. 3 per year will be allowed.

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Furniture on view.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.,
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Bombay, 20th September, 1916.

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MENESSE & CO.,
Auctioners.

Bombay, 20th September 1916.

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GANDHI & CO.

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS.

No. 52. Medows Street.

Sale TO-DAY at 2-30 p.m., (S. T.).

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BENNETT & CO.

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G. D. FRENCH,
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NOTICES.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

ADVERTISERS are requested to note that the management cannot guarantee to insert advertisements in the "Bombay Chronicle" unless the copies reach this office before 6-0 p.m., (S. T.).

MANAGING DIRECTOR.
"Bombay Chronicle."

Bombay, 30th August, 1916.

NOTICE.

TREACHER & CO., LD. (IN LIQUIDATION.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the petition filed by Dr. N. H. E. Sukhia having been dismissed with costs and the interim injunction obtained by him having been discharged, the Liquidator will proceed with the distribution of Rs. 500 on each share as advertised on the 16th and 19th of August, 1916.

Dated 14th September, 1916.

S. N. GUZDER,
5250 Liquidator.

NOTICE.

TREACHER & CO., LD. (IN LIQUIDATION.)

THE Business and Stock-in-trade of the above Company is offered for sale as a going concern.

The business at present is carried on in a Retail Shop in Esplanade Road, and Godowns and Laboratories in British Hotel Lane. Several good agencies are also attached to the business.

Offers may be made to the undersigned before the 15th of October next at the Office, British Hotel Lane, Apollo Street, where full particulars may be obtained.

S. N. GUZDER,
5249 Liquidator.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that AIMAI SORABJI JAMSHEDJI SODAWATERVALA has contracted to sell to the purchaser, who is our client, the undermentioned property. All persons having any interest therein or claim thereto or in or to any part thereof either by way of gift, inheritance, mortgage, charge, lease, lien, trust or otherwise howsoever, are requested to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at Standard Building, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof failing which the said sale will be completed without reference to any such interest or claim and the same if any will be treated as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Fazendari land (together with the messuage, tenements or buildings standing thereon) situate at Kandawady without the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 193 square yards or thereabouts and bearing New Survey No. 7745 and bounded on the East by the Nikadwadi (Nickduvdi) Lane, on or towards the West by the piece of vacant land belonging to Tarabai, widow of Mahadeo Pandurang, on the North by the property of Yamunabai, widow of Ganpatrao Pandurang, and on the South by a public passage and the buildings whereon are assessed by the Bombay Municipality under D. Ward Nos. 871 (1), 868 (1) and Street Nos. 12 and 9.

Dated this 14th day of September, 1916.

CRAIGIE, BLUNT & CAROE,
5248 Attorneys for the Purchaser.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. SYED ISMAIL bin SYED ALI of Bombay Mahomedan has contracted to sell the undermentioned property. All persons having any interest in or claim against the said property of whatsoever kind or nature are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undermentioned, attorneys for the purchaser, at their office in Treacher's Building, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days of the date hereof. In default the sale will be completed after the said period without reference to the claims, if any, of which no notice shall have been so received and all such claims if any will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY.

All that piece of land containing by admeasurement 359 square yards or thereabouts situate and being Plot No. 87 on the Sandhurst Road (East) estate of the Trustees for the Improvement of the City of Bombay in the City and Registration Sub-District of Bombay bounded on the East by plots Nos. 44 and 45 of the said estate leased or agreed to be leased to Dorabji Dosabhai Bhimandiwalla on the south partly by property in the tenure or occupation of Jusab Habib Mistri and partly by property in the tenure or occupation of Abdulla Husein, on the West by Memonwada Road and on the North partly by property in the tenure or occupation of Sitaram Keshav Bole and other trustees and Managers of the Maruti Temple at old Nagpada and partly by plots No. 44 and 45 aforesaid; together with the Buildings thereon; and which said premises form a portion of premises bearing New Survey No. 3097 and are assessed by the Municipality under B Ward No. 2417 (1) Street Nos. 563 to 573 and 573A (Odd numbers inclusive.)

Dated this 19th day of September, 1916.

PAYNE & Co.,
5298. Purchaser's Attorneys.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. DARABSHAW BOMANJI DUBASH has contracted to sell the undermentioned property. All persons having any interest in or claim against the said property of whatsoever kind or nature are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned, attorneys for the purchase at their office in Treacher's Building, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, within fourteen days from the date hereof. In default, the sale will be completed after the said period without reference to the claims, if any, of which no notice shall have been so received, and all such claims, if any, shall be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY.

All that piece of Fazendari land (of which the present Fazendars are Dorabji Pestonji Mowawala and others, members of the Parsi Pastakia Panchayat), situate at the junction of the Nepean Sea Road and the Wilderness Road, Malabar Hill, in the City of Bombay, together with the message, tenement or bungalow and outhouses standing thereon, containing by admeasurement 8,765 square yards or thereabouts, and bearing, along with other land, Collector's Old No. 572, New No. 2703, Old Survey Nos. 18, 20, 24, 25, and 36, and New Survey Nos. 7187, 7188, 7193, to 7196 and Municipal D Ward Nos. 3245, and 3281, Street Nos. 3 and 3, and bounded on or towards the North by the property of the said Darabshaw Bomanji Dubash, on or towards the South by the said Wilderness Road, on or towards the East by the property of Moolji Khatau and on or towards the West by the Napean Sea Road.

Dated this 19th day of September, 1916.

PAYNE & Co.,
5299 Purchaser's Attorneys.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas King Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of RAJUBAI, daughter of GOREDHANDAS LUXMINARAYEN, formerly known as Gulam Mahomed Beg, late of Hyderabad (Deccan) Marwadi Bania Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Sultan Shahi, in Hyderabad (Deccan), a minor, unmarried girl. .... Deceased.

KRISHNABAI, widow of LUXMINARAYEN RAMNATH, of Hyderabad (Deccan) Marwadi Bania Hindu Inhabitant, residing at Sultan Shahi, in Hyderabad (Deccan) paternal grand mother of the abovenamed deceased at present temporarily residing at Heerabag in Kandawady outside the Fort of Bombay. .... Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir STANLEY LOCKHART BATCHELOR, Knight, Acting Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this Thirteenth day of Sept. in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen and in the seventh year of our Reign.

(Sd.) P. B. MALABARI,
Acting Registrar.
(Sd.) W. J. HOWARD,
13th day of September, 1916.

Messrs. TYABJI DAYABHAI & Co.,
5300 Petitioner's Attorneys.

NOTICE.

TREACHER & CO., LD. (IN LIQUIDATION.)

THE Property of the above Company, situated in British Hotel Lane, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay is offered for sale. The property consists of immoveable property at 31, 33, and 35 British Hotel Lane, Bombay, totalling about 1575 square yards on quit and ground rent tenure. Collector's No. (Old) 9, 106; and (New) 4832, and 4952.

The Property is divided into 2 buildings one of which consists of a ground and first storey which are let to Messrs. Duke and Sons for Rs. 6,000 per year. The other Building consists of a three-storied building which is at present occupied by the Company.

Offers to be made, for either building separately, or for the entire property, on or before the 15th October, 1916 at the office of the Company, British Hotel Lane, where full particulars may be obtained.

S. N. GUZDER,
5251 Liquidator.

NOTICES.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.

(Incorporated in England.)

POONA RACES.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 20th September, 1916, an additional Race Special Train for Second Class Passengers will be run leaving Victoria Terminus at 10-15.

The timings of the Race Special Trains on that day will be as follows:—

FIRST CLASS.

Down.

		H.	M.
V. Terminus	dep.	11	5
Poona	arr.	14	40

Up.

		H.	M.
Poona	dep.	19	30
V. Terminus	arr.	23	16

SECOND CLASS.

First Train.

Down.

		H.	M.
V. Terminus	dep.	10	15
Poona	arr.	13	30

Up.

		H.	M.
Poona	dep.	19	55
V. Terminus	arr.	23	41

Second Train.

Down.

		H.	M.
V. Terminus	dep.	10	40
Poona	arr.	14	15

Up.

		H.	M.
Poona	dep.	20	20
V. Terminus	arr.	0	6

Second Class Passengers are advised to avail themselves of the First Special leaving Victoria Terminus at 10-15 to avoid crowding in the later train.

Bombay, 20th September, 1916.

A. C. RUMBOLL,
General Traffic Manager.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. NOWROJI SORABJI BUNSHAH of Bombay Parsi inhabitant has contracted to sell the undermentioned properties to me, the undersigned. Any person having any right, title, interest, claim or demand in or upon the said property of any part thereof either by way of sale, mortgage, lease, trust, lien, maintenance, possession, gift, inheritance incumbrance or otherwise howsoever is hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at his place of residence Rao Saheb Khakhar Buildings near Madhav-Baug, Cowasji Patel Tank Road, Bombay, within fourteen days from the date hereof, otherwise the same if any will be considered as waived and the purchase will be completed without any regard thereto.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTIES.

FIRST.—All that piece or parcel of Foras land containing by admeasurement 72 (seventy two) square yards or thereabouts and registered by the Collector of land Revenue under old Nos. 200, 298, New No. 13,721, New Survey No. 3/3429 and situate at Delisle Road, outside the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay and are bounded on or towards the East by the property hereinafter secondly described on or towards the West and North by the property of Ellappa Balaram and others and on or towards the South by the property of Dada Makba and were formerly and are now in the occupation of the tenants of the vendor.

SECONDLY:—All that piece or parcel of leasehold land (the lessor whereof is the Secretary of State for India in Council) containing by admeasurement 5,620(five thousand six hundred and twenty square yards or thereabouts and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under New No 16475 and New Survey No. 2/3430 together with messuages tenements or dwelling houses standing thereon assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under Ward E Nos. 7276, 7277(1) 7277(2), 7277(3,4,5) 7277(5A), 7277(6), 7278, 7279 and Street Nos. 190, 192, 1, (2, 3 4) 4A. 5, 194-196 and all which premises are situate at Delisle Road, Parel, outside the Fort of Bombay in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay and are bounded on or towards the East by the said Delisle Road, on or towards the West partly by the property of Dada Makba and partly by the property hereinbefore firstly described and partly by the property of Eliapa Balaram and others on or towards the North by the ground belonging to the Bombay Municipality and on or towards the South partly by the property of Balibai daughter of Bhoroji Gaiewar and partly by the property of the said Dada Makba and were formerly and are now in the occupation of the tenants of the said vendor.

Dated this 20th day of September, 1916.

MAGANLAL DALPATRAM KHAKHAR,
295 Purchaser.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.

(Incorporated in England).

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF STORES.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by THE AGENT, at his office at Victoria Terminus, Bombay, upto 1 p.m. (Standard Time) on WEDNESDAY, 11th October, 1916, for the supply of the articles noted below, during the twelve months commencing from 1st January 1917:—

B. Miscellaneous country stores
D. Stationery and paper.

2. Separate Tender Forms of each of the above giving particulars of the approximate quantities and description of stores required, and the Conditions on which Tenders will be received, may be obtained on application at the General Storekeeper's Office, Parel, on payment of Rs. 2 for each Form. No refund will be made on account of unused Tender forms.

3. The Agent reserves the right to select one or more items from any Tender without reference to the other items on the same Tender and the Tenderer shall be required to supply the same at the rates quoted.

4. Tenders should be superscribed with headings as above and a deposit of 10 per cent. of the value of stores, etc., tendered for with a maximum of Rs. 1,000, should accompany each Tender, without which no Tender will be considered. Only cash or currency notes on which no interest will be allowed (currency notes are for Rs. 100 or upwards they must be of the Bombay Circle) or Government Promissory Notes will be received as deposits and if the latter they must be endorsed "Pay Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company or order." Interest on Government Promissory Notes lodged with the Company as Tender deposits will not be realised by the Company unless such interest is payable at Bombay.

5 All stores must be in accordance with the Company's standard samples, which may be seen at the General Storekeeper's Office, Parel.

6 The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

G. R. WEBB,
General Storekeeper.
General Storekeeper's Office,
Parel, 11th September, 1916.
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AUCTION SALE.

MESSRS. MEHTA & CO.

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AUCTION SALE OF A VERY VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY AT GOPI TALAO ROAD, MAHIM, ON THE EAST SIDE OF LADY JAMSHETJI ROAD.

Under instructions from the Mortgagees Messrs. Adaibhan Sobhaji and Co. and on account and risk of Mariambai, widow of Khan Bahadur Abdul Rahim bin Mahomed Sheriff Hakim, Abdul Latif bin Abdul Rahim HaHkim, Shaik Ebrahim bin Abdul Rahim Hakim, Abdul Aziz bin Abdul Rahim Hakim, Abdul Wahab bin Abdul Rahim Hakim, Mahmed Hoosein bin Abdul Raim Hakim, the last four minors by their guardian Mariambai, widow of Khan Bahadur Abdul Rahim bin Mahomed Sheriff Hakim, Begambai wife of Mahomed Sheriff Hazan and Rabiabai spinster daughter of Khan Bahadur Abdul Rahim bin Mahomed Sheriff Hakim, the mortgagors and pursuant to the Power of Sale vested in the Mortgagees under the Indenture of Mortgage, dated the 9th day of August, 1915, and made between the said mortgagors of the one part and the said mortgagees of the other part, Messrs. MEHTA and Co. will sell by Public Auction, the hereditaments and premises particularly described in the schedule here under written at the premises on MONDAY, the 9th day of October at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.).

All that Oart or parcel of land together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, called Nilie situate at Gopi Talao Road in Mahim on the East side by the Road leading from Bombay to Mahim (known as Lady Jamsetji Road) and in the Mahim Sub-District containing by admeasurement seven thousand three hundred and fifty seven (7,357) square yards or thereabouts registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 334, New No. 406, Old Survey No. 199 and New Survey No. 1/1395 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under G. Ward Nos. 4066, 4067 and 4068 and Street Nos. 427, 428 and 429 and also under G. Ward No. 4065 and Street No. 426 and bounded as follows, that is to say, on the East by an Oart belonging to Manuel D'Souza, on the West by the said Mahim Road, on the North by the tank called Gopi Talao and on the South by an Oart belonging to Moosa Mopla and which said premises are at present in the occupation of the mortgagors and their tenants.

For further particulars, conditions of sale, and inspection of title-deeds, application may be made to Messrs. Khunderao, Laud and Mehta, Solicitors, 29, Church Gate Street, Fort, or to the undersigned.

MEHTA & Co.
Auctioneers.
Bombay, 20th September, 1916.

CRAWFORD & CO

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS.

10, Apollo Street, Fort.
Telephone No. 521.

SALE TO-DAY AT 2-30 P.M.

AUCTION SALE OF A LARGE LOT OF COTTON WASTE, CASTINGS PULLEYS, PIPES, CORRUGATED SHEETS ETC.

Under instructions from R. D. Sethna, Esq., the Official Liquidator of the Howard and Bullough Mills Co., Ld., (in liquidation) Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co., will sell by Public Auction THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of September, 1916, at 2-30 p.m., (S. T.), at the said Mills premises, in the compound of the Greaves Cotton Mills at De Lisle Road, the following:—

A large lot of Cotton Waste such as Droppings No. 1 and 2, clearer fly, flat and cylinder strips, oily sweepings, hard waste, etc., also one lot of dealwood cases, teakwood beams, planks, tins drums, C. I. Castings old iron plates, couplings foot valves, iron and galvanized pipes, corrugated sheets, pulleys, etc.

A deposit of 50 p.c. will be required at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE of "The Nandgaon Advance Cotton Press," at Nandgaon.

Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., Auctioneers, will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms No. 16 Apollo Street, opposite the Government Dockyard, Fort, Bombay, on FRIDAY, the 22nd September, 1916, at 4 p.m. (S. T.), the abovementioned working cotton press of Nandgaon.

PARTICULARS:—All that leasehold piece or parcel of land at Nandgaon, District Nasik, bearing Survey No. 346 admeasuring about 2 acres and 3 gunthas and bearing Survey No. 347, admeasuring about 3 acres and 22 gunthas with buildings consisting of Press house mixing room, engine room, office servants' quarters and godowns, etc.

For printed copies of conditions of sale and list of machinery, etc., apply to Messrs. Smetham Byrne and Co., Solicitors for the Vendors at No. 18 Church Gate Street, Fort, Bombay, or to Messrs. Ardeshir Hormusji, Dinshaw and Co., Solicitors, at their office at Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, or to the Undersinged.

AUCTION SALE OF 7 BUNDLES OR 31 BAGS OF RAW SIAM SILK, DAMAGED BY SEA-WATER.

Under instructions from the Insurance Co. concerned, Messrs. CRAWFORD

AUCTION SALE

CRAWFORD & CO.—(Contd.)

& CO., will sell by public auction on MONDAY, the 25th day of September 1916, at 3 p.m., (S.T.), at their auction Rooms No. 16 Apollo Street, opposite the Government Dockyard, Fort, the following A. T. E. 51/81—7 bundles or 31 bags of Raw Siam Silk, weighing 109 mds. and 3½ lbs. gross, damaged by sea-water, ex S. S. "Hellas."

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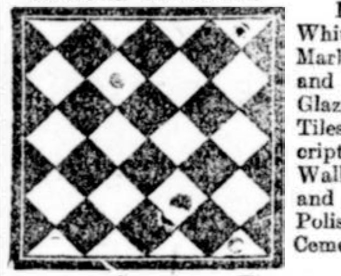

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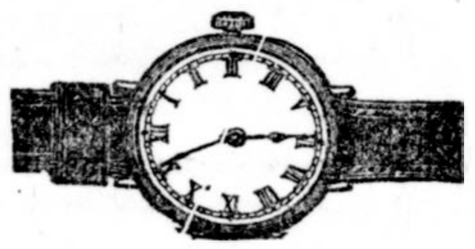

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COMMERCIAL.

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CABLE QUOTATIONS.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

Liverpool, Sept. 18th,

	Bales.
Total Day's Sales at Liverpool	12,000
,, ,, Sales on Spec. & for Exp.	5,000
,, ,, Sales of East Indian	700
,, ,, Imports	28,000
Mid. Americans	9.44—7
Egyptian F. G. F.	13.10—25
New York 11 a.m. (As known in Liverpool at closing time.) ..Oct.	15.48+3
..Jan.	15.71+1
New Orleans 10 a.m. ..Oct.	15.12+2
..Jan.	15.50+3

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

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Liverpool, Sept. 18th.

Total Imports — — — — — 28,000

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Months.	To day's opening price	
September	9.35	+1
Sept.-Oct.	9.31	
Oct.-Nov.	9.29	
Nov.-Dec.	9.28	
Dec.-Jan.	9.28	
Jan.-Feb.	9.27	
Feb.-Mar.	9.27	
Mar.-Apl.	9.27	
Apl.-May	9.27	
May-June	9.26	
June-July	9.23	
July-Aug.	9.19	

Prices taken at 10-10 a.m. nearest actual values.

CLOSING PRICES.

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Liverpool, Sept. 18th

Months	To-day's closing price.
September	9.36+2
Sept.-Oct.	9.33+3
Oct.-Nov.	9.31+3
Nov.-Dec.	9.30+3
Dec.-Jan.	9.30+3
Jan.-Feb.	9.31+5
Feb.-March	9.31+5
March-April	9.31+5
April-May	9.31+2
May-June	9.32+7
June-July	9.29+7
July-Aug.	9.26+8
Aug-Sept	9.09
Sept.-Oct.	8.86

CLOSING EGYPTIAN FUTURE PRICES.

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Liverpool, Sept. 18th.

Months.	To-day's price.
November	13.04—16
January	13.12—10
March	13.26— 8

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

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Liverpool, Sept. 18th.

M. G. Bengal Good	6.64	—5
,, ,, Fully Good	6.82	
,, ,, Fine	7.00	
,, No. 1 Oomra Good	7.24	
,, ,, Fully Good	7.42	
,, ,, Fine	7.60	
,, Broach Good	8.64	
,, ,, Fully Good	8.82	
,, ,, Fine	9.00	
,, Scinde Good	6.64	
,, ,, Fully Good	6.82	
,, ,, Fine	7.00	

AMERICAN MARKETS.

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New York, Sept. 18th.

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	37,000
Futures at New York October	15.71+33
,, ,, January	15.95+35
Spot Cotton at New York	15.85+30
,, at New Orleans	15.13 unchgd
Futures at New Orleans October	15.34+31
,, ,, January	15.72+31

MONEY MARKET.

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London, Sept. 18th.

Bar Silver Spot	32 11/16
Closing Tone of Silver:—Indian buying—Steady.	
Discount, Bank of England rate 6 per cent. since 13th July 1916.	
Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st	5⅝
,, Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st	5 13/16
,, Fine Trade Bills 3 months	6½
,, ,, ,, ,, 6 ,,	6¼
Interest day to day loans	4½
,, 7 day market loans	4½

BOMBAY MARKETS.

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COTTON.

APPROXIMATE QUOTATIONS AT MID-DAY.

DESCRIPTION.		Sept. 1916	DELIVERY Jan. 1917	April 1917	SPOT COTTON.
Broach,	Good M.G.	—	—	346	285/95
Broach,	Fine M.G.	—	—	—	305/15
Bengal,	F.G. M.G.	—	264	—	245/55
Bengal	Fine M.G.	—	275	—	260/68
Bengal,	Superfine M.G.	—	—	—	270/77
Rajputana,	Fine M.G.	—	—	—	..
Sind Panjab,	Fine M.G.	—	—	—	258/65
Khamg. Akola,	Fine M.G.	299/0	314	—	290/00
Ellich/Amraoti,	Fine M.G.	—	—	—	292/02
Dhamg./Pulgaon,	Fine M.G.	—	—	—	30 /05
Yeotmal,	Fine M.G	—	—	—	305/10
Nagpore,	Fine M.G.	—	—	—	308/15
Hingt./Wardha,	Fine G.M.	—	—	—	310/17
Khandeish,	Fine M.G.	—	297	—	280/90
Khandeish,	F.G. M.G.	—	—	—	270/77
Khandwa Sanawad,	F.G. M.G.	—	—	—	275/85
Jalna	F.G. M.G.	—	—	—	267/75
Indore,	F.G. M.G.	—	—	—	285/95
Ujjain,	F.G. M.G.	—	—	—	300/15
Nander	F.G. M.G.	—	—	—	325/45
Mathia,	Fine M.G.	—	—	—	270/80
Mathia,	F.G. M.G.	..	—	—	260/70
SawGinned Dharwar	Good Oct.	334	—	—	330/37
Coompta.	Good M.G.	358	—	—	360/70
Westerns,	Good M.G.	348	—	—	247/57
Westerns.	Good H.G.	346	—	—	340/47

TOTAL RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY AS COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS YEAR DURING THE SAME PERIOD.

Growths.	1916-17.	1915-16.	Difference.	
Khandesh	512	6,151	—	5,639
Central India	773	3,518	—	2,745
Barsi & Nagar	190	3,646	—	3,456
Berar	1,429	4,118	—	2,689
Central Provinces	961	1,691	—	730
Compta & Dharwar	2,422	8,286	—	5 864
Northerns-Westerns	2,553	6,804	—	4,251
Coconada	809	595	+	214
Tinnevell and Cambodia	....	2,193	—	2,193
Dhollera	727	752	—	25
Broach	6	162	—	156
Rajputana	3,494	3,135	+	359
N. W. Prov.	5,150	17,436	—	12,286
Sind-Punjab	3,515	9,597	—	6,082
Persian	....	....		....
American	....	....		....
Egyptian	....	....		....
Other Sorts	426	368	+	58
Total	22,967	68,452	—	45,485

RECEIPTS OF COTTON AND PRODUCE.

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The following are the receipts of Cotton, Wheat and Seeds by rail and sea into Bombay during the 48 hours up till 5 p.m. on 18th September, 1916:—

Cotton	2,158	Bales.
Wheat.	1,958	cwts.
Linseed	10,053	,,
Rape, Rai and Mustard Seed	2,774	,,
Ginjellyseed	410	,,
Poppyseed	68	,,
Groundnuts	3,452	,,
Castorseed	1,139	,,
Rice	9,214	,,
Cottonseed	617	,,
Gram	3,135	,,
Joowar	7,060	,,
Barley	2,642	,,

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SHIPPING

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ARRIVALS.

Sept. 18th.

Perlak	Gentles	Rangoon Sept. 8

Sept. 19th.

Sangola	Baker	Sourabaya, Aug. 27
Berbera	Steadmen	London, Aug. 18

The following vessel obtained port clearance yesterday.

Anyo Maru	Takencheer	Busreh, etc.

The following vessels began to load yesterday.

Steamer Maur	for	Bangkok
,, Sangola	for	Calcutta

S. S. Perlak:—The I. B. P. Co.'s steamer Perlak, 1,103 tons, Captain A. E. Gentles, arrived in harbour on Monday from Rangoon, which port she had left on the 8th instant, with a cargo of kerosin oil in bulk.

S. S. Sangola:—The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Sangala, 3,349 tons, Captain H. J. Baker, arrived in harbour yesterday from Sonrabaya, which port she had left on the 27th ultimo, with a general cargo and sugar.

S. S. Berbera:—The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Berbera, 2,792 tons, Captain Steadmen, arrived in harbour yesterday from London via Karachi, which port she had left on the 18th ultimo, with a general cargo and explosives.

S. S. Anyo Maru:—The steamer Anyo Maru, 1,298 tons, Captain T. Tukencheer, sailed yesterday from the Bombay harbour for Busreh, Bushire, Mahomara and Bunder Abas, with a general cargo and 12 deck passengers.

S. S. Tenshin Maru:—The N. Y. K. steamer Tenshin Maru left Hongkong for Singapore (Westward bound), on the 18th instant.

Tuesday, 19th September, 1916.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

A. Dilwara		M. M. & Co
C. & R. Morocco		J. F. & Co
F. Clan Leslie	Henderson	J.F. & Co
G. Dovre	Siqutland	J. M. & Co
H. Anyo Maru	Takencheere	M. M. Shirazi
L. Akbar	Courtney	M. T. O.
N Benvenue	Addison	W. & A. G. & Co
P. Munificent		W. & A. G. & Co

HARBOUR WALL.

Sabermati	B. S. N. Co
Netravati	
Bahaduri	
Courland	
Satranji	

VICTORIA DOCK.

1 Frinton	Dann	W. & A. G. & Co
2 Pasha	Elliott	T. M. & Co
3 Koweit	Wilson	T. M. & Co
5 Baron Ardrossan		W. & A. G.& Co
7 Dunera	Fysh	M. M. & Co
8 Rostock	Bates	W. & A. G. & Co
10 & 11 Rangoon Maru		N. Y. Kaishu

HARBOUR WALL.

Linga	M. M. & Co

H. D. D.

Tug Harold	H. I. Dixon & Co

ALEXANDRA DOCK

3 Sangola		M. M. & Co
4 Nore	Asburn	P. & O. S. N. Co
5 Matiana	Lane	M. M. & Co

HARBOUR WALL.

Haxby	W. & A. G. & Co

VESSELS IN THE STREAM.

Baroda		M. M. & Co
Berbera	Steadmen	M. M. & Co
Din	Pallett	W. & A. G. & Co
Flor-de-Diu	Aboo	Bhimji
Fultala	Fenton	M. M. & Co
Maur	Svensen	F. F. C. & Co
Nurani	Thomson	B. & P. S. N. Co
Perlak	Gentles	I. B. P. & Co
Sangola	Baker	M. M. &

EXPORTS.

September 19.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Haxby (s) 700 cwts. groundnut oil cake, D. Salemahomed; 60,000 cwts. wheat, Ralli Bros.

Benvenue (s) 1,250 tons manganese ore, James Finlay & Co.

FOR GENOA.

Frinton (s) 4,000 cwts. linseed, K. M. Nathoo; 4,000 cwts. linseed, Louis Dreyfus & Co.

FOR SHANGHAI

Nore (s) 1,344 lbs. butter, Imperial Dairy Co.; 88 cwts. beeswax, A. C. Patel & Co.; 175 cwts. gum olibanum, A. C. Patel & Co.; 60 cwts gum arabic, N. Moolji & Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Nore (s) 26 cwts. gum olibanum, D. M. Basrai; 5 cwts. ooplate, D. M. Basrai; 5 cwts. joowardall, D. M. Basrai; 400 bales cotton twist, Sassoon J. David & Co.; 400 bales cotton twist, David Sassoon & Co.; 21 cases, Indian condiments, 1 cask vinegar, Maneckji Poonjaji & Sons; 16 cases Indian condiments, M. M. Poonjaji & Co.; 85 cwts. buffer pickers, K. Sorabji & Co.; 1,000 lbs. butter, Globe Dairy Co.; 45 cwts. seina leaves, H. Abdeali; 45 cwts. seina leaves, D. M. Basrai.

IMPORTS.

September 19.

S. S. Delisarh from Delgoabay, Agents, M. M. & Co.:—273 tons coal, 2 boxes gold coins, 107 bags coffee, 10 bundles sheepskins, 2 boxes brass and copper, 893 bales cotton, 200 bags potatoes, 10 bundles zinc, 4,640 bags watle bark, 2 cases, 14 pieces, 705 tusks ivory, 3 nongs, 2 cases rheno horns, 2 cases tortoise nails, 1 case kaddies, 3 cases tortoise shells, 18 cases orange peels, 3 bags, 2 cases heppo teeth, 1,807 bundles cloves.

WHEAT AND SEEDS.

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The following are to-day's closing rates as issued by the Marwari Chamber of Commerce.

Bombay, 19th Sept.—4 p.m.

Ready	Bazaar Terms. Rs.	a.	p.	Rail Delivery. Rs.	a.	p.
Wheat, White Delhi 70-30	40	0	0	6	0	6
Wheat, White Cawnpore 70-30	39	0	0	6	0	0
Wheat, Karachi Bangia	40	0	0	6	1	0
Rapeseed, Brown Delhi	6	6	0	6	12	0
Rapeseed, Brown Cawnpore	8	4	0	5	10	0
Rapeseed, Yellow Cawnpore	7	0	0	7	6	0
Linseed, Brown Bold	8	14	0	9	4	0
Linseed, Brown Thin	8	11	0	9	1	0
Teelseed, White 85-15	44	0	0	9	0	0
,, Gajar 75-25	43	0	0	....		
,, Black	36	0	0	....		
,, Gajar 50-50	42	0	0	....		
Poppyseed, White	7	0	0	7	10	0
Groundnuts	47	0	0	....		
Mawraseed	4	0	0	4	4	0
Jowa	31	0	0	4	8	6
Arandia	37	0	0	....		
Forward.	Rs.	a.	p.			
Wheat April-May	5	15	6			
Linseed May	9	10	6			
Teelseed White 85-15 Dec./Jan.	9	2	0			
Jowa Aug.-Sept.	4	9	0			
Wheat Aug.-Sept.	6	0	6			
Linseed September	9	7	0			
Rapeseed April-May	7	0	0			
Arandia Asu	37	4	0			

BULLION.

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We quote:—

	Rs.
English Bar Gold	27-4-0
Australian do.	26-4-0
Bombay do.	25-8-0
English Shield Sovereigns	17-4-0
English Dragons	16-2-0
Silver ex-duty Ready	82-1-0

SHARE MARKET.

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(From our Correspondent.)

Bombay, Sept. 19.

The Share Market was to be opened to-morrow, but in the full expectation that the accounts for the September Settlement would be adjusted by Friday, the 22nd instant, the Board have to-day notified to keep the Share Market closed for further two days.

GOVERNMENT PAPER.

3½ per cent. Government Paper changed hands at Rs. 79¼ per cent. to 79½ per cent. The rate of the Warrants remains unchanged.

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EPISODE 1.—THE PALACE OF DUST.

Terence O'Rourke, gentleman adventurer, while in Cairo, dreams of a beautiful girl he had met a few hours before. A foreign consul in Egypt receives a letter to the effect that an uprising takes place in two days' time. A certain prince and princess had been of great value to the rebels, but a certain man, then in Cairo, would be of great assistance if he could be induced to lead the Egyptians against the British. An hour later, while in a café, Terence again sees and admires from a distance the same girl, who is with an Egyptian. Then the Consul passes by with another man, spies Terence, and has a short talk with him. He replies "My sword may be for hire, but I have yet to draw it for an evil cause." Meanwhile in the British Government Offices an official is seen examining an account of large sums of money spent in the interests of Egypt.

The scene is now shifted to a secret meeting of the rebels. The beautiful girl whom Terence admired is no other than the princess who has aided the uprising. Hearing about their need for the adventurer she dramatically demands two hours in which to enlist O'Rourke's services. If she fails she begs them to kill him. The princess goes to a Café, speaks to Terence as if she were in sore distress, and begs him, if he would help her, to follow her.

With the spirit of adventure and love of beauty strong in him, O'Rourke does as he is bidden and is led to a salon furnished exquisitely in oriental fashion. His guide has, however, put such an air of mystery about the affair that his suspicions are evidently aroused. The princess proves herself an ardent lover and with all the languorous charm of the East she reveals the part she wants him to play. He replies: 'No not even for you will I see the streets run red with British blood." Then he graphically describes what would happen, and one sees the terrible scenes of carnage with one's own eyes and even the distress of the dead soldiers' wives and children at home.

So eloquent has Terence been that the girl, all her rebellious spirit and devilish cunning crushed, becomes the Englishman's fastest friend. However, in order to blind the eyes of the conspirators, O'Rourke attends their meeting.

Now comes a thrilling scene. The princess has cleverly put into Terence's hands two automatic pistols and as a plotter rises to drink his health he holds up the whole assembly and makes a daring escape from the room. He has been badly hurt, but with splendid courage he rushes bleeding through the streets to the British consulate, where he reveals the whole plot just in time to nip it in the bud. The final scene finds O'Rourke on his yacht, reading of the affair in a newspaper.

EPISODE 2.—WHEN A QUEEN LOVED O'ROURKE.

O'Rourke finds himself in Bombay, penniless. He is seen in a poorly furnished bungalow with his servant worrying him for money to pay his bills. At the same time an Irishman working a mine in a Native State goes to the Ruling Chief and says his (the prince's) brother intends to steal his mine. He is going to appeal to the British Government. A few hours after Terence wires to this man, an old friend, asking if he has work for the sword of a gentleman whereby he can earn his bread.

In another scene the native prince and his wife are found in conversation. He is for upholding Hanrahan against the brother but she dissuades him Then we see Hanrahan and his sister in their bungalow. Terence's telegram has just been received and they write a reply enthusiastically inviting his help. While Hanrahan is absent, sending off the wire, the Prince's brother visits the girl and demands her hand in marriage. The situation becomes desperate.

ROYAL OPERA HOUSE.

(*Continued.*)

However O'Rourke is on his way to the rescue, having first left his valet as security for his unpaid rent. A copy of the wire Hanrahan sent having been given to the Prince's wife they are warned of his coming. He, on his way, knows nothing of this, and gets what humour he can out of his first experience of a Dak Bungalow.

Now the excitement begins. A police superintendent, who had left the mine, post haste, to fetch the military, meets O'Rourke and warns him of the urgency of the situation. Hanrahan has mysteriosuly disappeared and the Prince's brother asks the white girl whether, if the Irishman were restored to her, he might hope to marry her. O'Rourke now arrives on the scene and the girl tells that it is impossible to send for troops. He dons military uniform and, having by luck managed to telephone for help, goes through the Bazar to call on the Prince. The interview with that potentate is half way through when news comes that Miss Hanrahan has been kidnapped by the wicked brother O'Rourke is offered the Prince's own horse and he dashes away to rescue the girl. But the Princess has seen him and, saying that he is the handsomest man she has ever seen, gets her servants to guide him to her precence.

The Eastern Queen makes violent love to Terence and, her sympathies changing in a trice, she takes him to the dungeon where Hanrahan is being tortured by the brother. In revenge the latter rushes off to the Prince and tells him his wife is in O'Rourke's arms. Happly the matter is settled amicably and Terence returns to Bombay the deliverer of his friends and a great deal richer.

EPISODE 3.—THE ROAD TO PARADISE.

In this episode Terence O'Rourke is first seen waiting on the borders of Grandlieu for a message from his sweetheart, Princess Beatrix. He fills in his time sketching the scenery. A carrier pigeon arrives with this message: "Beloved, the minsters have decreed my marriage to Duke Victor Come at once if you would save me. Chambret will meet you at the inn,—Beatrix."

In the next scene the Prince is seen talking to Beatrix and accusing her of still loving O'Rourke. A minister then comes to tell her that her bethrothal to Victor is to be announced in the Chamber of State that afternoon.

An Indian Princess now comes into the story. She is informed that the populace grow angry at the continued absence from their temple of a jewel called "The Pool of Flame." She is staying at the inn where O'Rourke is to be met by his sweetheart's guide. She believes Terence to have the jewel in his possession. After O'Rourke has reached the inn he is met by Chambret, but while he is in his own room changing his dusty clothes for others more suitable to the occasion the latter is kidnapped by order of Prince Victor, and another guide is substituted. The plot involves the Indian princess. It is planned that O'Rourke shall compromise himself with her in order to lose the love of the Princess Beatrix. So the false guide takes Terence to her.

At the palace, meanwhile, a huge gathering awaits the announcement of the betrothal. Prince Victor comes to the Princess and says "you wonder why O'Rourke has not come. He is even now with his mistress, Prince Karan." And so at the same moment O'Rourke is, by a plot, led to the Indian woman's room while his sweetheart is being conducted thither so that she can see the two together.

It is an exciting juncture and for the time the plot works only two well. Realising the situation when too late Terence snatches a rapier from the wall and crosses blades with his treacherous guide. The affair ends dramatically by the man falling through a trap door just as Terence's valet, who has rescued Chambret, arrives on the scene wtih him.

Chambret is at once able to reveal the dastardly plot to Beatrix, and the beautiful girl atonce realises it. Terence then takes his leave, telling his sweetheart that before he can be her equal and marry her his good sword must make him a rich man.

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WEATHER REPORT

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(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Sept. 19.

Depression has formed in the north of the Bay and the monsoon accordingly weakened in north-east India and has strengthened in west coast and extended over Gujarat.

Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, east United Provinces, Konkan, North Hyderabad, Malabar and Madras Deccan, local in west United Provinces, east Rajputana, Gujarat, Central India west, Central Provinces, Bombay Deccan, Mysore and south-east Madras A few falls also occurred in Upper Burma and north-east India.

The principal amounts are:—Tavoy four inches, Bassein and Diamond Island two, Akyab one and a half, Cox's Bazar and Cawnpore one, Gorakhpur three, Lucknow two, Roorkee one and a half, Surat four, Rajkot, Sutna and Hoshangabad one and a half, Saugor two, Marmagoa four, Karwar and Mangalore three, Ratnagiri, Cochin and Markara two, Calicut one and a half.

Forecast:—Increase of rain in Hyderabad and Upper Burma and decrease in the United Provinces.

RAINFALL AT BOMBAY.

STATIONS.	24 hours to 8 a.m. of 19th Sept. 1916.	Total since June 1st 1916.	June 1st to Sept. 19th.	
			1915.	1914.
Colaba [Observatory]	0.23	76.81	69.39	80.55
Fort [St. George's Hospital] ..	0.63	83.96	72.54	83.05
Esplanade [Gok. Tej. Hospital] .	0.67	82.37	68.14	85.34
Byculla [J. J. Hospital] ..	0.56	86.10	75.64	92.09

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.

Bombay, 18th Sept. 1916.

Means of observations taken at 6 a. m. 12 a. m. 3 p. m, 4 p. m. and 10 p. m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg Fahr	29.695	Inch.
Temperature of Air	78 9	Deg.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	77.1	"
Dew Point	76.5	"
Relative humidity of Air	0.924	"
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy=10)	9.0	"
Maximum temperature of Air	82.1	"
Minimum do	76.2	"
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	SSE.W.	
Movement of Wind do. do.	113	Miles.
Fall of Rain	1.19	Inches
Total fall during month	10.94	"
Do do do, year	76.89	"
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 19th	0.63	"

SUN, MOON AND TIDES IN BOMBAY.

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The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hour stated in Bombay Mean Time depth of water is at Prince's Dock:—

HIGH WATER.							LOW WATER.					
Day of Week	Day of Month	Bombay mean time.			Depth on Sill		Day of Month	Bombay Mean time.			Depth on Sill.	
	Sept		h.	m.	ft.	in.	Sept		h.	m.	ft.	in.
Tues.	19	m	5	0	24	11	19	m	11	3	21	6
			4	20a	23	5			10	36a	19	0
Wed.	20	m	6	20	24	4	20	m	1	22	21	8
			5	32a	22	9			12	3a	19	8
Thur.	21	m	8	7	24	4	21		2	39a	21	1
			7	14a	22	8						
Fri.	22	m	9	12	24	10	22	m	1	47	19	5
			8	57a	23	4			3	26a	20	8
Sat.	23	m	9	53	25	5	23	m	2	48	19	7
			9	49a	24	4			3	59a	19	2
Sun.	24	m	10	22	26	0	24	m	3	35	18	7
			10	28a	25	6			4	28a	18	3
Mon.	25	m	10	49	26	7	25	m	4	16	17	11
			11	3a	26	5			4	55a	17	7

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time during the ensuing week:—

Sept.	Sunrise.	Sunset.
19 (Tuesday)	6h. 27m.	6h. 39m.
20 (Wednesday)	6h. 27m.	6h. 38m.
21 (Thursday)	6h. 27m.	6h 37m.
22 (Friday)	6h. 28m.	6h. 36m.
23 (Saturday)	6h 28m	6h. 35m.
24 (Sunday)	6h. 28m.	6h. 34m.
25 (Monday)	6h. 28m.	6h. 33m.

PHASES OF THE MOON:—

First Quarter	1916	Sept.	5th	9h.	6.5m. a.m.
Full Moon	"	"	12th	2h.	0.9m. a.m.
Last Quarter	"	"	19th	11h.	5.3m. a.m.
New Moon	"	"	27th	1h.	4.1m. p.m.

STANDARD BAROMETER READING.

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The following information is published in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbour may by comparison with a standard instrument ascertain the errors of their barometers:—

The reading of the Standard Barometer in the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 80 deg. F. and to the level of the tide, at 8-45 a.m., Standard Time on the 19th September 1916 was 29.875 inches. **For temperature corrections applicable to mercurial barometer of ships the reading of the ship's barometer has to be increased or decreased by .031 inch for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg. F. In case of the aneroid no temperature correction is needed. But for comparison at 80 deg. F. all aneroid readings should be increased by .138 inch. For correcting the ship's barometer either mercurial or aneroid for the height of the barometer cistern above the tide level in the stream at 8-45 a.m. Standard Time, the ship's barometer reading should be increased by .010 inch for every 10 feet of the height to make it comparable with the observatory barometer reading given.**

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

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Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Tuesday, the 19th September 1916, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Rainfall has been local in the north and the east Punjab; Rawalpindi has had 0.29in., and Delhi 0.37in. Skies are moderately clouded in the east Punjab and clear or lightly clouded elsewhere. Humidity is normal or in excess. Day temperature is in defect in the north and the east Punjab; night temperature is also below normal in the extreme north.

The United Provinces.—Rainfall has been local; Mainpuri has had 0.54in. and Cawnpore 1.01in. Skies are moderately clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess. Day temperature is in defect in the extreme north-western districts.

Sind and Rajputana.—Rainfall has been local in east Rajputana; Kotah has had 0.13in. and Mount Abu 0.15in. Skies are clear in upper Sind and lightly or moderately clouded elsewhere. Humidity is normal or in excess. Day temperature is in defect in east Rajputana; night temperature is in excess in Sind.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Rainfall has been nearly general in Kathiawar and south Gujarat and local in Central India West; Bhuj has had 0.62in., Rajkot 1.32in., Veraval 0.44in., Bhavnagar para 0.50in., Surat 4.15in., and Neemuch 0.31in Skies are moderately or heavily clouded Humidity is normal or in excess. Day temperature is in defect at a few stations.

The Central Provinces.—Rainfall has been local; Saugor has had 2.07in., Hoshangabad 1.40in., Amraoti 0.16in. and Nagpur 0.10in. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded.

The Konkan.—Rainfall has been nearly general; Bombay has had 0.23in. Ratnagiri 2.06in., Mormugao 4.42in., and Karwar 3.44in. Skies are heavily clouded. Day temperature is in defect at Ratnagiri.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Rainfall has been local in the Bombay Deccan and north Hyderabad; Ahmednagar has had 0.10in Poona 0.42in. and Aurangabad 0.14in. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded. Day temperature is in defect except in the north Bombay Deccan.

General Remarks.—Rainfall has recommenced in Kathiawar and increased in South Gujarat and on the west coast of the Peninsula but decreased in the extreme north Rajputana, the United and the Central Provinces, and the Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad; it has been nearly general in Malabar, the Konkan, Kathiawar, south Gujarat and the Madras Deccan and local in the north and the east Punjab, the United and the Central Provinces, east Rajputana, Central India West, the Bombay Deccan, north Hyderabad and south-east Madras

Nearly general rain is likely on the west coast of the Peninsula and in Kathiawar and south Gujarat, local rain in the United and the Central Provinces, the Deccan and on the north Madras Coast and a few showers in south-east Madras.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 a. m. on TUESDAY, the 19th of September 1916.

STATIONS.	Temp. in Shade.		Humidity.	Rainfall.		
	Maximum of past 24 hours	Minimum of past 24 hours	8 A. M.	Past 24 hours	Total 1st June to date.	Departure 1st June to date.
PERSIAN GULF—						
Bushire	—	—	—	—	—	—
Do. (18th Sept.)	91.1	73 6	86	..	0	—0.01
Jask	91 5	80 8	88	—	0.29	0 23
Muskat	..	..	—	..	..	..
Do. (18th Sept.)	96.5	83.6	73	..	0.58	0.41
PUNJAB—						
Multan	100 0	77.7	79	..	3.62	—1.06
Rawalpindi	79 2	64.2	80	0.29	37.30	15 40
Lahore	80 8	71.2	80	0.05	13.01	8.20
Hissar	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ambala	90 7	73.3	88	..	28 14	5.50
Delhi	85.8	74.0	91	0.37	24.83	2.41
UNITED PROVINCES—						
Agra	86 4	76.4	84	..	27.56	4.52
Mainpuri	82 6	75.5	96	0.54	31.12	8.92
Jhansi	80.1	75 3	87	..	36.30	5.52
Cawnpore	89 8	76.1	78	1.01	35 89	15 21
Allahabad	90 6	77.2	83	—	55.80	23.48
SIND AND RAJPUTANA						
Jacobabad	95 1	82 0	65	..	3.17	0 92
Karachi	87.2	80 3	79	..	12.67	16.55
Ajmer	85 2	72 6	84	..	20.42	1 84
Jaipore	90 5	73.7	86		19.48	—1 64
Kotah	86.8	75.2	79	0.13	39.51	13.59
Mount Abu	74.2	67.4	95	0.15	77 77	20.39
GUJARAT, KATHIAWAR AND CENTRAL INDIA WEST—						
Bhuj	84.6	67.3	84	0.62	14.92	0 61
Dwarka	83.8	79 7	89		11 10	—2.39
Veraval	83 8	77 2	92	0.44	22 19	5.59
Rajkot	87 1	73 8	93	1.32	14.13	—0.32
Bhavnagar Para	93 4	75 6	91	0.50	18.32	—0.94
Surat	88 1	74 7	98	4.15	49 50	11.72
Ahmedabad	91 3	78 9	88	..	23.33	—5.04
Deesa	92 3	78 0	79	..	23.90	1 24
Neemuch	79 3	72 2	91	0.31	33.38	7 16
Indore	87 1	70 1	95	0.05	34 39	5 38
CENTRAL PROVINCES—						
Jubbulpore	87.8	73.9	89	..	36 87	—11.85
Saugor	89 6	72.8	92	2.07	31 52	—8.73
Hoshangabad	89.1	73 6	93	1.40	47 22	3.71
Khandwa	90 2	75.3	91	..	26.97	1 35
Akola	86 9	75 3	81	..	35.59	9 89
Amraoti	85 2	73.5	89	.16	35 35	8.60
Nagpur	87.3	73 1	87	0 10	41.40	0.48
Chanda	84.1	74 8	94	0.05	48 33	3.50
Raipur	86 9	75 1	92	0.06	31.76	—10.29
KONKAN—						
Bombay	82.7	77.4	87	0 23	76 81	10.88
Ratnagiri	78.1	73.7	93	2.06	126.94	34.56
Marmugao	81.2	72.3	95	4 42	105.90	25 26
Karwar	80.1	72.5	95	3 44	120.03	12.75
BOMBAY DECCAN AND HYDERABAD—						
Malegaon	85.7	71.6	79	..	20 02	3 13
Ahmednagar	79 9	70.0	85	0.10	23 67	7 81
Poona	88.2	70.7	89	0.42	18.27	—0 10
Sholapur	79.1	70 3	87	0.03	30.39	10 75
Bijapur	81.1	69.4	83	..	18.82	6 54
Belgaum	74 7	65.5	96	0.07	32.67	—3.55
Aurangabad	80 2	70.8	86	0.14	20 09	17 37
Nizamabad (Indur)	83.6	72 7	84	..	25.06	—5.79
Hyderabad	80.3	71 2	88	0.05	33.44	11.39
MALABAR AND CEYLON						
Mangalore	76 9	72.4	94	2.95	98 18	—7.60
Calicut	79 8	73 3	93	1.37	75.47	—0 85
Cochin	84.9	73 6	90	2.05	77 69	7 91
Colombo	84 6	77.9	85	—	28.95	9.66
MADRAS (EXCLUDING MALABAR) AND MYSORE—						
Masulipatam	84 4	77.0	82	—	39.32	—17.88
Bellary	84.3	72.2	72	0.14	15.49	6.67
Cuddapah	87 9	74.3	82	0.43	28.96	11.66
Madras	93.8	77 0	79	0.02	13 09	—0.97
Bangalore	78.7	66 0	83	0.04	18.03	11.33
Coimbatore	86.2	71.9	75	0.11	10 56	6.63
Trichinopoly	91.9	77.1	73	—	18.43	8 9
Negapatam	90.8	73 9	96	0.47	15.76	6 2

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TO-DAY.

Hindu: 9th of Bhadrapad Vad, 1972.
Mahomedan: 21st of Jelkad, 1334.
Parsi: 10th of Farvardin, 1286.
Sunrise: 6h. 27m. Sunset: 6h. 38m.
Phases of the Moon: New Moon 27th Sept.

LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS.

Standing Committee Meeting of the Bombay Municipal Corporation, 4-10 p.m.

Mails for the Straits Settlements, Saigon, Manilla and Hongkong via Negapatam will be closed at the General Post Office, at 7-30 p.m.

Mails for Laurenzo Marquis and South Africa per extra steamer Surat via Dhanushkodi and Colombo will be closed at the General Post Office at 7-30 p.m.

THURSDAY, September, 21.

Bombay Natural History Society—Meeting of members at the Society's Room Apollo Street, at 6-15 p.m.

P. and O. Company's mail steamer Nagoya with the outward mails of September 1st, expected at 6 p.m.

DAILY.

Excelsior Theatre. Bandman Varieties at and 9-45 p.m.

Royal Opera House: Cinema, 6-45 p.m. and 10 p.m.

America-India Cinema, Charni Road, 6-45 to 8-15, 8-30 to 10-0, and 10-15 to 11-45.

New Alexandra Cinema, Crawford Market, 7, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.

Olympia Cinema: Sandhurst Road, 6-30, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.

BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

Regimental Orders by Lieut.-Colonel Sir Stanley Reed, Kt., A.-D.-C., Commanding.

Sept. 20.

Orderly N. C. Officers for the week ending 23rd September:—Sergeant R. C. Lowndes and Lance-Corpl. J. G. Ridland.

Riding School.—Riding School daily except Thursday, 7-15 a.m.

Signalling Class. Signalling Class under Major Wallis (I. A.), will be held this week as follows:—

Mornings, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday, at 7 a.m.

Evenings, Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, at 6-15 p.m.

Squadron Parade.—The Squadron will parade on Thursday morning next, the 21st instant. Rendezvous, Church Gate Station, at 7-15 a.m. Dress.—Khaki shirts, Regimental saddles. No bandoliers.

Musketry:—At a shoot held at the British Infantry Range, Colaba, on the 16th instant, the following member was awarded a silver spoon for the highest score obtained:—

Trooper K. S. Alling, "D" Troop.

97 points (H. P. S. 120).

(Sd.) F. C. ANNESLEY, 2nd-Lieut.,
Actg. Adjutant, Bombay Light Horse.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES,

Regimental Orders by the Hon'ble Lieut.-Colonel P. R. Cadell, C.I.E., Commanding.

Sept. 20.

323—Battalion Duties.—Orderly Sergeants will be furnished by "A" Co. during week ending 23rd instant. Next for Duty "B" Co.

324—Ranges.—The Range at Ghat Kopar is allotted for Class Firing as follows:—

"B" Company:—Daily to Saturday, 23rd instant, inclusive.

"G" Company.—Sunday, 24th to Saturday, 30th instant, both days inclusive.

Train leaves Victoria Terminus at 6-15 a.m.

The Miniature Range will be open from 7 to 9 a.m. and from 6 to 8 p.m. on week days except Saturday evenings.

Detail as usual.

All Companies must complete Elementary Musketry by the end of September.

325. Signalling.—A Signalling Class open to any member of the Corps is held at the Volunteer Club at 6-30 p.m. on Tuesdays.

326—Parades.—"B" Company Maxim Gun Class every Wednesday, at 7 a.m. at Headquarters.

"F" Company.—Parade for all 2nd Class Shots in the Company every Friday evening at Headquarters at 6-15 p.m. Dress.—Drill order without arms.

"G" Company.—Company parade on Thursdays. Fall in at the Gymkhana at 7-15 a.m. Dress.—Shirts and shorts. Recruits will attend this parade (Signallers and Machine Gun Section will not attend Thursdays parade).

"J" Company.—Company parade of all sections at the Volunteer Club on Tuesday, 26th instant at 6-30 p.m. Dress.—Drill order (Shorts) doublets and canes. Pencils and notebooks must be brought.

(Sd.) C. N. MOBERLY, Major.
Adjutant, Bombay Volunteer Rifles.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

Corps Orders by the Hon. Lieut-Colonel J. S. Wardlaw-Milne, Commanding.

Sept. 19.

No. 305. DUTIES:—

Duties for the week commencing Monday 18th instant:—

Orderly Officer for the ensuing week 2nd Lieut H C Weber.

Orderly Officer next for duty 2nd Lieut. W. N. Cartland.

Orderly Sergt. No. 1 Company Sergt. A. S. White.

Orderly Sergt. No. 2 Company Sergt. V. Y. Smith.

Orderly Sergt. E. E. Company, Sergt. G. Barnes.

No. 306. PARADES.—

Thursday 21st inst. 15pr. B. L. Gun drill and instructions.

No. 307 LECTURE.—

A leture will be given on Thursday next at 6-45 p.m. at Headquarters by Captain P. H. Retallack, Adjutant, Bombay Volunteer Artillery, entitled "The B .V. A. Past and Present." All ladies are cordially invited to attend.

P. R. RETALLACK, Captain,
Adjutant, Bombay Volunteer Artillery.

NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of Staff Sergeants and Sergeants of Nos. 1, 2, and E. E. Companies at Headquarters on Tuesday the 26th instant at 7 p.m. Dress plain clothes.

All members in possession of rifles are requested to return them to Headquarters at once for inspection by the C. C. M. A.

POONA VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Corps Orders by Lieut-Colonel G. K. Walker, C.I.E., Commanding Poona Volunteer Rifles.

POONA, Sept. 19.

878 Drill and Instruction.—Parades for the week ending 23rd September 1916:—

At Headquarters:—

Buglers. Wednesday Friday and Saturday at 5-30 p.m.

Battalion Parade, Friday at 7-15 a.m. Drill order.

Every member residing at Poona or Kirkee must attend unless granted leave of absence by his Company Officer.

At the Central Gymnasia:—

Physical Training Class, Tuesday and Thursday at 7 a.m. Running kit.

At Satara:—

Machine Gun Parade, Tuesday and Saturday at 5 p.m.

879. Musketry.—The Rifle range will be open for Class firing at 7-30 a.m. daily except Thursdays and Sundays until further orders. Members wishing to fire should send in their names to the Headquarter office two days before hand.

880 Miniature Range.—The Miniature range at Headquarters is allotted as follows for the current month at 7-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Tuesday 19th B Company Voluntary practice.

Wednesday 20th A Company Voluntary practice.

Friday 22nd Recruits practice (5 p.m. only)

Monday 25th Miniature Rifle Club.

Tuesday 26th B Company Voluntary practice.

Friday 29th Miniature Rifle Club.

Saturday 30th A Company Voluntary practice.

(Sd.) C. J. J. FOX, Captain.,
For Adjutant Poona Volunteer Rifles.

STRING BAND AT THE BOMBAY GYMKHANA.

By kind permission of Colonel T. W. Bonner V.D. and Officers, the Band of the 1st Battn., G. I. P. Railway Volunteers, will play a programme of music, this evening under the direction of Mr. Hugh B. Mitchell Band Master, commencing at 6-15 p.m.

ANJUMAN TARAKI SUKHAN.

A special meeting of the Anjuman Taraki Sukhan, Bombay, will be held to-night at 9-30 at the Roshni Club situated near the Police Station, Pydhoni.

INCOMING MAILS.

The P. and O. Company's S. S. Medina with the outward Mails of the 8th instant passed Suez at 1 p.m. on Monday the 18th instant.

NOTICE TO JURYMEN.

Gentlemen of the Special and Common Jury are required to attend at the High Court this morning at 11-30 o'clock.

FATMABIBI ROGOY CHARITABLE DISPENSARY.

During the month of August the total number of patients treated in this dispensary was 10,206, of whom 4,104 were males, 3,184 females, and 2,918 children. The average daily attendance was 329.

YOUNG MEN'S HINDU ASSOCIATION.

Under the auspices of the above Association, Mr. L. G. Khare B.A. (Cantab) will deliever the 10th lecture, of the series on "Burke and his times" this evening at 6-15 p.m., (S. T.), in the premises of the Association, Girgaum Back Road.

MUSLIM STUDENTS' UNION.

Mr K. T. Shah, Bar-at-Law will deliver a lecture on "Some aspects of Feminism" on Sunday at 6 p.m. (S.T.) at the Uinon Hall Chowpati, (near Wilson College.)

Mrs. Percy Anstey has kindly consented to preside.

MORTALITY IN BOMBAY.

There were two attacks and two deaths from plague on Monday; one attack being imported from Poona. Mahalaxmi and Byculla reported one attack and one death each. The total mortality from all causes was 60 against 84 on the corresponding day of last year. Of the 2,552 rats caught five were found to be infected.

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE.

A Social Service League Free Night Class for the depressed class residing at Dongri, was formally opened on Monday night at Mizpah Terrace, Sandhurst Road, Umarkhady. The members of the Young Men's Khoja Association have undertaken to help in the superintendence and management of the institution.

HEALTH OF THE CITY IN AUGUST.

Statistics of health published by the Health Officer of the Local Municipality, show that there were in all 2,311 deaths last month, as compared with 2,056 in August, 1915; 34 deaths from plague against 31; 11 deaths from small-pox against 18; 43 deaths from cholera against 5; 681 deaths from respiratory diseases against 510; 167 deaths from tuberculosis against 120; 21 deaths from malaria against 14. The infant mortality amounted to 708, as against 665 of August, 1915. The total number of births registered was 1,763, as against 1,772 in August last year.

IMPROVEMENT TRUST PLOTS AND CINEMAS.

An ordinary meeting of the Trustees for the Improvement of the City of Bombay was held yesterday, the Hon. Mr. J. P. Orr presiding, when consideration was given to a letter from Messrs. Dastur and Co., solicitors, on behalf of Mr. D. Dadysett, urging the Board to refuse an extension of the period for which plots 52 and 53, scheme 3, west, have been temporarily leased for a cinema. The Chairman said they had long since decided not to allow cinemas in that particular area. This, however, would not prevent the Board from allowing cinemas to be built on suitable sites in other areas. It was resolved to record the letter.

GUJARAT EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE.

PROGRAMME OF WORK.

The first session of the Conference will be held on the morning of 23rd October and the noon of 24th. The Hon. Mr. Chimanlal H. Setalvad has been elected as President of the Conference and he has consented to preside

The secretaries of the Conference inform us that fairly good number of illuminating answers have been received in reply to the series of questions put to different bodies (1. Native States, 2 District Boards, 3. Taluka Local Boards. 4. Municipalities and 5. Private Secondary Schools). An abstract will be prepared of these answers and it will be submitted to the Conference.

The Native States of Guajarat and Kathiawar have been requested to:—

(1) give a general permission to their teachers and officers to attend the Conference; (2) to write papers for it; and also (3) to depute some educational officers to represent them at the Conference.

SUBJECTS FOR THE PRELIMINARY MEETING

The following subjects have been selected for discussion in the preliminary meeting.

Primary Education.

(1) Expension of education and its ways; (2) teachers, their pay and training (with special reference to the letter addressed by the Government of India to Local Governments; (3) rural standards, and (4) curriculum and text-books.

Secondary Education.

(5) Curriculum and text-books (with special reference to the Hon. Mr. Pranjape's resolution on the subject), and (6) vernaculars as the medium of instruction.

Higher Education.

(7) Necessity for more (arts, agriculture etc..) colleges.

General.

(8) Female Education (with special reference to the letter of the Government of India addressed to the Local Governments); (9) Physical Education, and (10) Agricultural and Technical Education.

COMMERCIAL

LATEST COBLE QUOTATION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.

Day's Exports to Great Britain	3,000
Day's Exports to Continent	11,000
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality)	10
Demand Bills	4.75.75
Silver Commercial Bars	68½

MONEY MARKET

LONDON, Sept. 18.

Consols 2½ per cent	60
Rupee Paper 3½ per cent., nominal	51¼
Indian Stock 3½ per cent. (Sterling Loan).	70¼
Government Securities 3 per cent	60½
EXCHANGE.	
On London at Paris, Francs	27.88
WAR LOANS.	
3½ per cent 1925—1928	£86½
4½ per cent. 1925—1945	£96¼

MISCELLANEOUS MARKET

LONDON, Sept. 18.

WHEAT.

Wheat Choice White Karachi, per 492 lbs. C.I.F., Oct.-, sellers. 71/9

Wheat Afloat for United Kingdom. 2,035,000

SOUTH AMERICAN.

Rozario Santa Fe—62½ lbs.—69/3, 15th Sept./15th Oct., Sellers.

Barletta Russo—62½ lbs.—Wheat Baril 68/6 Sept./Oct.

BARLEY.

Karachi Barley.—50/6 Sept./Oct. Sellers.

SEEDS.

Rapeseed.—Ferozepore Usual Bold 68/9 Sept. Oct. Sellers.

Linseed Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship, 81, Oct./Nov. Paid firm.

Toria Rapeseed.—69 Sept./Oct. Buyers.

METALS.

English best Selected Copper, £130.

Standard Copper G. M. B., £116.

Copper Braziers, £153.

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Hard Spelter, 45.

Tin Plates I. C. Coke 14 by 20, 112 sheets per box weighing 90 lbs. C.I.F. Liverpool, 18/9.

Iron Corrugated sheets 24 gauge G.O.B. 4 per cent. F.O.B. Liverpool, £26-5-0.

Pig Iron No. 1 Gartsherrie, £6-4-6.

FREIGHT.

Coals:—Cardiff to Bombay Canal, nominal.

JAVA SUGARS.

Raw Java No. 68/18 C and F Calcutta 22/[illegible] Oct./Dec.

Raw Java, C and F Karachi 22/1[illegible] Oct./Dec.

Raw Java, C and F Bombay 22/[illegible] Oct./Dec.

Fine White Java C and F Calcutta 24/[illegible] Oct/Dec.

Fine White Java, C and F Bombay 24/[illegible] Oct/Dec.

Fine White Java, C and F Karachi 24/10 Oct/Dec

RUBBER.

Para Rubber fine hard cure 3/1½, Sept-Oct. Buyers.

Plantation First Latex Crepe, 2/5¼. Oct.

CALCUTTA SHARE MARKET.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 19.

At the share market to-day there was only a small business reported in coals. Jutes opened firm and continued to exhibit strength and activity until shortly before luncheon interval when a quieter feeling prevailed and lower prices were accepted by sellers. The market closed easier but with an undercurrent of strength. The following sales took place:—

Coal.—Bengal 875, 876, 877; Pench River 15, 15-4; Standard (ord) 36-12, 37.

Jute.—Alliance (ord) 500, 505, 510, 495; Auckland (ord) 240, 241, Barnagore (ord) 115, 116, 117; Belvedere (ord) 350, 345; Budge-Budge (ord) 433 to 439; Clive (ord) 140, 141, 142; Dalhousie (ord) 302-8, 303-8, 305, 295; Delta (ord) 420, 421, 422, 412; Fort Gloster (ord) 482, 476, 473, 470; Fort William (ord) 164-8, 159, 160; Gondalpara (ord) 563; Hooghly (ord) 56 to 59-8; Howrah (ord) 266; Kamarhatty (ord) 370, 371, 372, 368, 365, 366, 370; Kanknarrah (ord) 496, 490; Kelvin (ord) 494; Lawrence (ord) 298, 299, 292; Naihati (ord) 289; New Central (ord) 349; Northbrook (ord) 36-3, 36-4; Reliance (ord) 244, 245, 246, 243; Soorah (ord) 155 to 169; Standard (ord) 356, 357, 350, 355; Union (ord) 445, 446.

Tea.—Bishanauth 30-4; Hoolungoorie 224, 225; Loobah 80.

Miscellaneous.—Anglo-Oriental Steam (ord) 67 p; Alliance Bank 331; Howrah Oil 49; India General (ord) 181-8 to 183; Russa Engineering 186, 187.

Government Paper.—3½ per cent. was quoted at Rs. 79-2 to Rs. 79-10 and small lots were done at Rs. 79-12 to Rs. 80.

INSUFFICIENT OR INEFFICIENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Please allow me a little space in your columns since any silence after that whimsical statement of Mr. Vincent would be construed to mean our acceptance of his addition of insult to our already sustained injury.

In reply to Dr. Batliwala, Mr. Vincent says, "The crime for 1915 was under 5,000 cases, as compared with 43,000 cases for the whole city. They had 19 cognisable crimes for one policeman." Excepting the fact that this is but an old Puranic story may I in all fairness to justice ask Mr. Vincent to come to the public with his facts and figures of cognisable cases with regard to the recent crimes that have taken place in Lady Jamsetjee Road. And furthermore, how is Mr. Vincent going to answer for the questionable behaviour of the Policemen on duty on such occasions as these? If the Police Force in this locality is quite adequate then how is Mr. Vincent going to answer for so many cases of reported and unreported thefts and attempted burglary? If one man withdraws his complaint as one of mistake of facts does it mean that all the other complaints also are such? Surely in our opinion the Police Force is inadequate in this locality.

The facts are facts as such, and if Mr. Vincent still insists upon saying that the Police Force in this localty is quite adequate, then there is only one reply to the question that we can offer and that is, "The Police Force is inefficient." Now, which is Mr. Vincent going to accept? Insufficient or inefficient?

Even if there is an adequate number of policemen in this locality why, I ask, should there be stationed half-a-dozen policemen between the railway gates of Dadar worrying the poor Bhajiwalas to give them a piece or two or an anna for each one in turn for their selling something on the roadside, instead of giving them duty in more important places? I have seen this personally, and have shown this to many other gentlemen also, and am even now quite prepared to show it to Mr. Vincent himself if he is prepared to come here in disguise on any evening, how atrociously these persons behave with those poor wretched Bhajiwalas. A word will do for the wise and I strongly hope that Mr. Vincent, if he finds himself unable to raise the Force in its numbers, will at least divert the attention and duty of persons at the above-named place to more important areas.—Yours etc.,

TRUTH.

Dadar, Sept. 19.

FATAL TRAMWAY COLLISION.

DRIVER CHARGED.

Dr. W. Nunan, Acting Coroner, held an inquest yesterday at the Coroner's Court, touching the death of Piroj Gani, a Mahomedan, who died as the result of a collision between two tram cars near the Jacob Sasson Mill on the Supari Bag Road on Monday. It appeared from the evidence that there is a single tram track near the mill and tram car No. 92 was proceeding towards Parel on the single line when, it is alleged before it had passed the point, tram car No. 100 came from the opposite direction and collided with it, smashing it to pieces. The deceased who occupied the last seat of car No. 92 was struck on the head and he died on the spot.

Framji Dhunjishaw Laher, a mechanical engineer, who was a passenger in the car going to Parel, said his car went over the point first, when the other car came up and collided with the rear of the first car. The deceased who was in the first car and bending out on the right hand side was struck on the head, by the front part of the on-coming tram, which tore away the rear portion of the first car. Witness then saw the deceased lying dead in the road.

Gashite Khudabux, driver of car No. 92, said that Shivdat Gayadin the driver of the other car tried to stop his car but could not. Shivdat, who was stopping at the point to allow witness' car to proceed, started too soon. Witness thought Shivdat miscalculated.

Mr. Harold Quinn, Traffic Superintendent, said the rule of the company in circumstances such as this was that the down car must not proceed until the rear portion of the up-car had passed a full car-length from the points and the down car must come to a stop a full car-length from the points when another car was approaching and must in all cases give way to the up car.

The jury returned a verdict that the death of the deceased was caused by injuries received in a collision between tram cars and that the collision was due to the disobedience of the traffic order of the Tramway Company on the part of the driver Shivdat Gayadin.

CHARGE OF RASH AND NEGLIGENT ACT.

Shivdat was yesterday charged before the Fourth Presidency Magistrate, at the Mazagon Police Court, with causing death by a rash and negligent act. The case was remanded.

(Continued from Column 5.)

316-16.—Ganesh Pandurang Kshirsagar v. Khima Vanaji & Co., Crs No. 9, In person.

221-16.—Raghowji Kara Thucker and Manekbai, widow of Kara Amersey Thucker v. Jethabhai Dipchand Sha by his Munim Goculdas Girdardas Sha, Cr No. 2, In person.

FOR HEARING OF NOTICE UNDER SECTION, 104.

278-14.—Ebrahim Alimahomed v. The firm of Purshotum Govindji, Crs No. 20, Chaturbhuj Kalidas a Cr, Hurjiwan Walji, Cr No. 1, Jiwraj Madhowji, Cr No. 8. Rustonsi Kanji, Cr No. 7, Soonderdas & Co.

APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE UNDER SECTION 38,

278-14.—Ebrahim Alimahomed v. The firm of Purshotum Govindji, Crs No. 20, Chaturbhuj Kalidas, Cr, Hurjiwan Walji, Cr No. 1, Jiwraj Madhowji, Cr No. 3, Rutonsi Kanji, Cr No. 7 Soonderdas & Co.

HIGH COURT.

FOURTH CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

ALLEGATIONS AGAINST PLEADER

JUDGE REFUSES TO ACCEPT VERDICT OF MAJORITY

RETRIAL OF SAYANI ORDERED.

EMPEROR v. YACOOB IBRAHIM SAYANI.

(Before Mr. Justice Macleod and a Common Jury.)

The accused Yacoob Ibrahim Sayani, who was charged with committing criminal breach of trust as an agent and using as genuine a forged document knowing it to be forged, was found "not guilty" by the majority of the jury (7 to 2) on Monday. His Lordship had postponed his decision in the matter til Tuesday.

At the sitting of the Court on Tuesday, Mr Davar for the accused submitted that before his Lordship ordered a retrial he would like to place a few points before his Lordship. The accused had to stand a very long trial and he had no funds to pay his legal advisers. He was a poor man and his relations were helping him. There was another difficulty and it was that the same witnesses will be cross-examined and the same questions would be put to them and they would know how to answer them. After this long trial his Lordship would give the accused a chance and order the accused to be acquitted.

His Lordship told the gentlemen of the Jury that they were discharged and said that there would be a retrial of the accused.

Mr. Davar submitted that under the circumstances he would request that the case be traversed to the next Sessions, as the accused would require some time to arrange for funds to meet expenses for his defence.

His Lordship said that he would consider the point before the Sessions was closed.

The accused was allowed to remain on bail on condition that his old bail bonds were renewed.

His Lordship ordered at 3-30 p.m. that the case be traversed to the next Sessions.

ALLEGED KIDNAPPING OF A GIRL OF 11.

THE DEFENCE STORY.

(Before Mr. Justice Macleod.)

THE KING-EMPEROR v. (1) GAFURSHAH HASHUMSHA, (2) SAYED HABIB SHAH, (3) SAYED BADSHAH MIYA MALOOKSHA, (4) SAYED ISMAILSHA HYDERSHA.

The accused were charged under section 336 of the Indian Penal Code with kidnapping a girl named Hawabai, aged 11, from the custody of her mother Sarubai, with a view to marrying her against her will with accused No. 4. The offence was alleged to have been committed on August 5th, 1916.

Mr. Kazi Kabiruddin appeared for the Crown.

Mr. Velinkar and Mr. Nadkarni instructed by Messrs. Mulla and Mulla, appeared for accused Nos. 1, 2 and 3.

Mr. Azad appeared for accused No. 4.

The case for the Crown was as follows:—The girl, alleged to have been kidnapped, was eleven years old according to the medical evidence. This girl resided with her mother Sarubai at Mahim. On August 5th, 1916, the first three accused went to their place at 8 p.m. in a motor car. Accused 1 and 2 went inside the room, while accused 3 remained outside the chawl on guard. The mother inquired why they had come. Instead of replying the accused tried to drag the girl out. There was a scuffle in which the mother, who tried to intervene, was assaulted. The girl was then taken outside. The third accused gagged her with a handkerchief and put his hand on the girl's mouth, and they put her in the motor car. She was carried to Chhas Mohola. There a ceremony of marriage between the girl and the 4th accused was performed by a Kazi, and the difficulty of having a guardian to consent on behalf of the girl was got over by calling in the girl's maternal uncle, as her agent or guardian. This man was not at all authorised by the girl's mother to consent to the marriage. Then the fourth accused came into the room, from which everybody else cleared out and the girl was left alone with the fourth accused.

The girl's mother that very night made a complaint to the police. The next morning the police went to the Chhas Mohola where they found the room locked and breaking it open they found the girl Hawabai inside.

The accused were then arrested by the police who put them before the Magistrate who committed them to the sessions and were held to bail by order of the High Court.

It was admitted that accused No. 4 was Sarubai's husband's paternal cousin and the girl Hawabai was betrothed to accused No. 4.

The accused being asked if they had any statements to make said that they were quite innocent. They prayed for justice and mercy and for the rest left their cases to their counsel.

The defence appeared to be that the marriage of the girl with the 4th accused was arranged by the Jamat. With the consent of the mother the 5th August was fixed as the day on which it was going to come off. On that day the mother was expected at accused No. 1's house but as she failed to turn up, accused No. 1 went to her place. There a certain altercation took place between the mother and the first accused on the question of clothes and ornaments to be given to the girl, and the mother in a huff asked accused No. 1 to take away the girl and get her married, if they liked, refusing to come herself.

Thereupon accused No. 1 took her away. Accused No. 2 and No 3 did not go to the mother's place at all.

Mr. Velinkar in reply to the Court, said that he was going to call evidence. Two witnesses were then examined for the defence when the Court rose for the day.

The case is proceeding.

CAUSE LIST.

BOARD FOR WEDNESDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1916.

BEFORE THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HEATON.

ADJOURNED APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE SUSPENDED.

456-11.—Chotalal Mulchand Sha v. Narandas Toan, a firm, Edgelow G W & Co., On 16th Sept., 1914 this Insolvent's discharge was suspended for 2 years without protection.

APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE UNDER SECTION 38.

202-15.—Charles William Aldridge v. Fojmal Jusraj & Co., Crs No. 1, Pandia and Co., Part Heard, 6-9-16.

298-16.—Madhowji K & Ch, Maharajkishan Gursahaimal v. Bashesherlal Hargovind, Cr No. 1, Dubash and Co., Madhoram Khanna, Cr No. 2, Dubash and Co., Part Heard, 6-9-16.

118-16.—Vachha & Co., Ardesir Byramji Todywalla v. Jehangir Framji Lala, Cr No. 3, In person, Dr. J K Daji, and anr, Crs No. 8, Dubash and Co., Pirojsha Rustomji Daruwalla, Cr No. 1, J A Valles, Adjourned 21-6-16.

(Continued in Column 4.)

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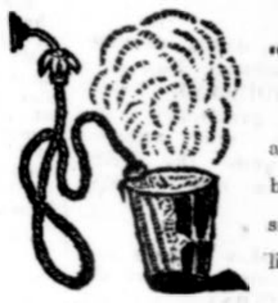

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Wednesday, September 20, 1916.

AN EXAMPLE OF LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT.

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Those who wish to see how a genuine system of local self-government in this country would work if the requisite facilities were provided for the rural and urban communities and they were left free from constant outside meddling may profitably pay a visit to some of the typical villages in Baroda State. There they will witness the seeds of real self-government sprouting forth into young plants of healthy growth under the festering care and wise guidance of a sympathetic state machinery. An insight into the working of these village communities and the vicissitudes they have had to pass through in the earlier stages, may be had from the Administration Report of the State for 1914-15, which has just been issued over the signature of the Dewan Mr. V. P. Madhav Rao. While in British India the revival of village panchayats is proceeding at a snail's speed and that too in isolated parts of the country, the authorities being afraid, as they say, of making any false steps or plunging into the unknown, whatever that may mean, the village panchayat or administrative body established on the truly elective basis is a *fait accompli* in the territories of the Gaekwar.

His Highness began to interest himself in the organisation of rural self-government in his State so far back as the early nineties of the last century, for we find that in 1893, in a report Mr. Elliot, settlement officer of the State, spoke of the scheme of maintaining the old village services as one which "His Highness the Maharaja has personally fostered and made his own. His generous wish is that the village should once again be self-ruling." Provision was made in every village to maintain the services it had enjoyed before the introduction of the Ryotwari settlement, the estimated additional cost to the State amounting to three lakhs annually. But this was not enough. Far-seeing administrator as he is, his Highness saw that before everything else the schoolmaster must be sent abroad to prepare the soil. He ruled that the schoolmaster should be added to the body of village servants and one should be provided in every village which had no regular school and which could produce sixteen scholars of either sex. This policy of carrying knowledge to the very doors of every village hut has been steadily kept in view and to-day there is not a single village of any importance in the State that has not its school. The next move in the evolution of the self-governing village unit was made in 1901, when under the Dewanship of Mr. Srinivas Raghava Iyengar, the principle of election and representation was definitely adopted for the village panchayats that were set up, immediately after, throughout the State. The rules passed on December 27th, 1902, provided that every village with a population of one thousand or more was to have a punchayat of its own, the members thereof to be not less than five and not more than nine in number, one-half of them to be appointed by the District Officer and the other half elected by the villagers themselves. The Patel was to be the President, and the village accountant and schoolmaster the ex-officio-members. The supervision of the village roads, wells, tanks, schools, of all charitable and religious institutions, of model farms and all Government or common property, was to vest in these panchayats. They were to help in the work of medical and of famine relief in times of emergency. They were to co-operate with the village munsiffs in settling civil disputes and with the sub-registrars in their official work. They were to see that the boundary marks in the fields were kept in order and that the village cattle pounds were properly managed. The work of establishing these village panchayats was actively pushed on, so that by the end of 1904, that is to say within two years of the inauguration of the scheme, 2,071 of these organisations came into being and the foundations of local self-government were thus firmly laid in the State.

But, the Durbar could not stop here. They had to link up these village organisations with the higher local bodies, so as to weld the whole into one compact system. This was done in 1904, when the new scheme of District Self-Government was ushered in. Under this, each group of villages returns one member to the Local Board of the Taluka in which the villages are situated. Thus, in the Baroda State the organisation of village panchayats preceded the establishment of Local Boards and did not succeed it as has been the case in British India, a fact which in no small measure accounts for the failure of local self-government to make rapid headway. By the end of 1910, more and more independent duties, such as the power to appoint, suspend and punish village servants, as also powers of deciding petty civil and criminal cases, were conferred on the panchayats. How the work of these village courts has extended can be seen from the fact that whereas in 1909-1910 only 170 cases came before them for disposal, in 1914-1915 as many as 769 cases were disposed of by the existing 159 panchayats. A step forward in consolidating Local Self-Government was taken in 1909-1910, when it was decreed that two-thirds of the local cess was to be handed over to the village boards, each of these latter being expected to be placed in a position to supply its own wants and not forced to depend on the Taluka boards for its petty needs, as is the unfortunate experience of villages in British India, where these have to scramble for the crumbs that the Taluka Boards condescend to throw them, after satisfying all their own needs. The Baroda system of village finance, has thus proved more equitable than that in British India. It also prevents the confusion and loss that result from the overlapping of the functions of the village and Local Board committees. We have touched here only on one aspect of the growth of Local Self-Government in Baroda State, that of the evolution of the self-governing village unit. Reference to progress in spheres of municipal and other higher popular government achieved by the State must be left to a future occasion.

WAR AND CABINET RESPONSIBILITY.

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What exactly is the responsibility of the Executive Council of the Viceroy in war time? In connection with the Mesopotamian campaign, it has been suggested that Lord Hardinge superseded his council and took over the entire responsibility for the sending of the Expeditionary Force and even the actual operations of the Force in the field! It is not necessary to notice the allegations in the latter respect, which are far too childish for serious criticism. The really important question is, what is the function of the Viceroy's Council in war time? Is there such a thing as the collective responsibility of the Council for military policy and administration? We fancy not. In theory, no doubt the Governor-General acts with and through his Council. But it is doubtful whether, especially in war time, the collective authority of the Governor-General-in-Council can be reconciled with the undoubted supremacy of the Imperial Cabinet, acting with and through the Secretary of State for India. Let us see how the Imperial Cabinet itself acts in war time. While the theory of collective Cabinet responsibility is admitted, in practice, the Cabinet delegates its responsibility to the War Council. Mr. Bonar Law gives the following account of the working of the Cabinet system, in war time:—

> The talk [said Mr. Bonar Law] of the size of the Cabinet would be all true if the Cabinet decided these questions about the war. They don't! There is a small War Council to which the Cabinet have given from the first a free hand, and I would like to tell you something more. What is the work that the War Council can do? One always goes back to analogies of his own experience. In a business company the main use of the chairman or board of directors is to get a good manager, and, having got him, to trust him. Well, that is what we are doing. We are satisfied now that the military affairs of this war are in good hands. And what the Cabinet and War Council are now doing is trying to give them what they want, to follow their advice, and to trust them to see carried out the plans they adopt.

Is it possible that the work of the Viceroy's Council in war time is carried on by a small War Council formed on the analogy of the Army Council in England? Perhaps so, or at any rate some such thing is being done. It is scarcely possible to conceive anything more absurd than the Home Member, the Revenue and Agriculture Member, the Education Member, the Law Member and the Commerce and Industry Member taking over the responsibility, with the Viceroy and the Commander-in-Chief, of a military campaign out of India. Moreover, the idea that the Viceroy's Executive Council can exercise co-equal authority with the Imperial Cabinet, and share in the collective responsibility for military policy or administration is totally untenable. In larger and in smaller affairs of Imperial policy, the true constitutional position is that the Viceroy is directly responsible to the Imperial Cabinet. Here the Viceroy is superseded, and the Council as well. The pundits who profess to have discovered a breach in the Indian Constitution in connection with Lord Hardinge's attitude towards the Council in the Mesopatamian affair are woefully astray. The surrender of the Indian Constitution, in this case, was into the hands of the Imperial Cabinet.

THE CARE OF JUVENILE CONVICTS.

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The David Sassoon Industrial and Reformatory Institution has continued to do steady and satisfactory work for many years. The latest report for the year ending March last, shows no deterioration. Defects, in working, of course, are not wanting. The premises for instance, though kept scrupulously clean and affording ample space to the boys for recreation lack a complete drainage system and need other sanitary improvements. Besides, as the report says, the lighting of the premises is decidedly bad. At the beginning of April, 1915, there were 213 boys in the school. Seventy-three boys, including nine private apprentices, were admitted during the year. The number of boys discharged during the year was 82. Of these 44 were discharged on expiry of these terms of apprenticeship, eight on application to the Managing Committee and with the consent of the Presidency Magistrate concerned, 19 on attaining the age of 18 years, and 17 private apprentices were withdrawn by their guardians or parents. None died during the year, but it is unfortunate that there were two cases of drowning while the boys were bathing at Mahim during last summer.

The boys seem to have made satisfactory progress in such education as is being imparted to them and in the various branches of handicrafts. The most interesting and the most anxious feature about the work of the school is the manner in which the boys who leave it conduct themselves afterwards. During the year 71 boys, were discharged from the institution. A statement appended to the report shows the after-conduct of 200 boys discharged during the last four years. It appears from this that of these 200, 12 have become carpenters, five painters, seven blacksmiths and fitters, 19 are employed in spinning and weaving mills, 79 in industries not taught in the Reformatory, one is sick and two are dead. Fifteen are still unemployed, five have been reconvicted, four, it is satisfactory to note attend outside schools and five have joined the army. Experience, says the report, shows that the boys after leaving the Institution, resent any restriction or even any interference with their liberty. This is inevitable if the wrong method is adopted in keeping in touch with the boys. We are not surprised to learn that in a great industrial city like Bombay "there does not seem to be very great difficulty in finding employment for our discharged boys", though the question raised, "how to induce them to continue in such employment when once it is found for them" can be easily solved if the lifting hand given them at the most critical time of their lives is also sympathetic, considerate and constant. How essential this is will be realised, if it is remembered that some of the boys when they leave school are without homes, without friends and without money and therefore the more easily amenable to all evil influences. It is thus gratifying that the greatest drawback of the Institution is soon to be removed by the starting of the proposed After-Care Association, for which Lieut.-Colonel Lloyd Jones, Chairman of the Committee of this Institution, has worked so zealously.

A word more must be said about a suggestion that is made in the report and about another that is not. It is a question, the report asks, whether the Institution would not be benefitted by discharging the boys on reaching the age of 16 years, as is done in all Reformatories in Great Britain. No difficulty will arise especially as the After-Care Association, when started, will be able to look after the boys in the proper manner —provided it works along right lines. Another suggestion that we must make is as to the removal of a long-standing reproach to a progressive City. And it is the want of a well-equipped reformatory institution for girls,—the girls who wander in the streets and are made to beg and commit crimes by unscrupulous guardians.

Notes of the Day

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V. M. G.?

After his amazing exhibition in the debate in the Corporation on Monday regarding the inadequacy of the police protection enjoyed by the inhabitants of the F. and G. Wards, it becomes a serious question whether Mr. F. A. M. Vincent is fit to hold the position of Commissioner of Police of the City of Bombay. He shows himself to be so gravely wanting in a proper sense of the responsibility imposed on him that one may well ask whether under his charge, not merely the inhabitants of these two wards, but those of the whole city, can afford to sleep comfortably in their beds at night or to walk abroad in the day and leave their houses unprotected. It is a matter of indifference to the public whether Mr. Vincent regards these two wards as urban or suburban areas. What the unfortunate people who live in them consider important, and they will have the sympathy of all sane people, is that they should be sufficiently and efficiently policed. The point of the complaint brought to the attention of the Corporation by Dr. Batliwala was not whether this particular area is policed on the urban or the suburban basis but that burglaries and thefts are so numerous and criminals enjoy such immunity that a real state of alarm prevails among the residents, some of whom apparently live in a perpetual state of seige. Such a condition of affairs may well prompt the writing of hysterical letters to the press, if the communications to which he referred could be correctly described in the way that Mr. Vincent described them,

A Grave State of Affairs.

Speaker after speaker made it clear that a really grave condition of affairs prevails. Dr. Batliwala declared that hardly a day passes in which a theft or a burglary does not occur in F. and G. Wards, and, if his estimate is right, that there are only 276 policemen to guard two hundred and thirty thousand people and that at some places there is not a sepoy to be found between a distance of two miles and two miles and a half, there is every justification for bringing the matter before the Corporation with a view to a reference to the Government who have taken upon themselves the responsibility of financing the police force of the City. Other speakers pointed out that a similar state of affairs prevails in other parts of the City. In the face of these grave allegations all the comfort that the Commissioner of Police can offer, is to prattle about urban and suburban areas and to excuse the ineffective guarding of a particular locality on the ground that the value of the property it contains does not justify the employment of an adequate police force, a new theory which might leave everyone but the wealthy at the mercy of the criminal classes if it were carried into absolute practice. Mr. Vincent, in the self-satisfaction of his puffed-up officialism, did more to emphasise both the insufficiency and inefficiency of the policing of the City than any of his critics. Indeed his remarks leave such a grave impression that the whole matter will now have to be dealt with on a very large scale.

Good News of the War.

The occupation of Florina by the Russian and French troops is eminently satisfactory. The tables seem now to have been effectively turned on the Bulgarians by the Russian, French and Serbian forces in this region. It is nearly a month since the Bulgarians, attacking the Serbs south of Lake Presba, succeeded in driving them out of Koritza and occupied Biklishta, Florina and Benitza. The defeat of the Bulgarians in the retaking of Florina seems to have been of the most decisive character. The enemy seem to have escaped the encircling movement by a panic-stricken flight and were decimated by a murderous fire, abandoning their guns in the disorder. Two Allied forces are now advancing rapidly on Monastir which is expected to fall in a few days. From the Somme Front this morning comes news of further successes of the Anglo-French forces, and, what is most significant, the statement that Carl von Wiegand has been allowed to telegraph from Berlin to America the imminence of the fall of Peronne and Combles and the enforced retirement of the German forces opposite the Somme.

The Dobrudja Front.

According to a telegram from London there is some confusion as to exactly what has been happening on the Dobrudja Front. A Bulgarian communiqué,—which has not been communicated to this country by the way,—claims a definite victory and the Kaiser has apparently been indulging in one of his characteristic boasts by way of heartening the public. There is also a German communiqué which speaks of a pursuit. It is quite certain, as has been gathered by previous telegrams, that the Russian and Roumanian forces were forced to retire. Possibly Mackensen succeeded in taking them by surprise. But, according to a Petrograd report, which comes *via* Rome, the German offensive has been arrested on the entire front and a Russo-Roumanian counter-offensive already initiated, the enemy having to retire from Salistria. This is confirmed by an earlier telegram to "The Times" from the Roumanian Headquarters, which said the Russian and Roumanian forces were taking up strong positions on the line from Rasova to Tuzla, twelve miles south of Constanza.

Not Yet at an End.

The German military critics obviously thought in mail week that the time had come to relieve the depression of the public by telling it that Germany had now finally won the war. Thus the "Frankfurter Zeitung" declared that both on the battlefields and in the workshops

> the Entente had reached a level beyond which it can no longer hope to go to any appreciable extent in the course of the present war. This gigantic assault—were we really and always thoroughly conscious of its seriousness?—had to be repelled by us. We have repelled it. It was meant to be the turning point in the war, but the position of the armies of the Central Powers is materially unchanged.

It is true, the paper added, that "the attacks of the Allies still continue, and the period of strategical defence,—which we may, without undue self-glorification call masterly,—is not yet at an end." Not quite!

BRITISH NAVAL AEROPLANE RAID.

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ENEMY AERODROME BOMBED.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

It is officially announced that a squadron of naval aeroplanes dropped a large number of bombs on the enemy aerodrome at Stdenis Westrem on the 17th instant with successful results.

One of our machines was forced to land in Holland and the pilot will be interned.

BRITISH SUCCESS IN EAST AFRICA.

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LAST REMAINING PORTS OCCUPIED.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

General Smuts reports that the British have occupied Lindi and Mikindni, the last remaining ports held by the Germans in East Africa.

ITALIAN OFFENSIVE.

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ENEMY'S COSTLY ATTEMPTS TO CHECK ADVANCE.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

ROME, Sept 18.

A semi-official announcement states that the enemy is hurrying up reinforcements and trying by bombardments of unprecedented violence to check our advance on the Carso.

He has also attempted diversions east of Civaron and in the Sugana Valley, which have been repulsed with heavy loss.

AUSTRIAN ATTACKS DRIVEN OFF,

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(Reuter's Telegram.)

ROME, Sept. 18.

An official announcement says:—Persistent attacks preceded and supported by extremely violent bombardment on our new positions on the Carso have been driven off. We took 300 prisoners.

THE WAR.

SUMMARY OF TELEGRAMS.

FRENCH PUSH.

FLORINA CAPTURED.

TURKS ROUTED IN CANAL REGION.

ROUMANIAN ADVANCE IN TRANSYLVANIA.

The French captured Deniecourt, south of Somme, and advanced a kilometre southwards in the direction of Ablaincourt.

The British stormed a strongly fortified work between Bouleaux Wood and Ginchy, styled the Quadrilateral.

Since July 1st the British have engaged 35 German divisions, of which 29 have been defeated and withdrawn exhausted.

The Allies have captured Florina in Macedonia and the Bulgars are falling back in disorder towards Monastir. The Serbs are progressing everywhere.

General Murray reports that a mobile column of Anzac mounted troops, camel corps and artillery attacked the Turks at Bir-el-Mazar, 65 miles from Suez Canal, on the 17th instant, penetrated his trenches at several points and inflicted considerable casualties.

The Roumanians continue to advance in Transylvania and have occupied the town of Fogaras.

The situation in Dobrudja is confusing. The only definite information of an alleged enemy victory comes from Bulgarian sources, but the dates are conflicting. The truth appears to be that the Russians and Roumanians have been forced back.

General Smuts has captured the two last remaining ports held by the Germans in East Africa.

Lieutenant Raymond Asquith, eldest son of the Premier, was killed in action on Friday last.

DEATH OF SIR LAUDER BRUNTON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

The death is announced of Sir Lauder Brunton.

The late Sir Thomas Lauder Brunton, Bart, M.D., Sc.D., LL.D. (Hon.) (Edin.), LL.D. (Hon.) (Aber.), M.D., R.N.I. (Hon.), F.R.C.P., F.R.S., V.P.R.S. (1906), was Consulting Physician to St. Bartholomew's Hospital and was the author of several well-known works on medicine, such as Text-book of Pharmacology, Modern Therapeutics, Lectures on the Action of Medicines, on Disorders of Assimilation, collected papers on Circulation and Respiration and Terapeutics of the Circulation. He also wrote a book on "The Bible and Science" in 1881. The deceased was 72 years old at the time of his death

DEATH OF LORD RAIPH KERR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

The death is announced of Lord Ralph Kerr.

Lord Ralph Drury Kerr,, K.C.B., entered Lord Ralph Druary Kerr, K.C.B., entered the 10th Hussars in 1857, served in the Afghan Campaign and retired in 1898. He was the brother of the ninth and uncle and heir-presumptive of the tenth Marquis of Lothian. He was 69 years old at the time of his death.

FRENCH PUSH SOUTH OF SOMME.

ALLIES CAPTURE FLORINA.

FRENCH CAPTURE DENIECOURT.

ADVANCE OF ONE KILOMETRE.

1,600 PRISONERS SOUTH OF SOMME.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, Sept. 19.

A communiqué says: A French attack north of the Somme captured a cluster of trenches 200 yards south of Combles. Desperate fighting continued at Deniecourt, south of the Somme.

The French after capturing the village and last defenders, advanced a kilometre southwards in the direction of Ablaincourt.

Simultaneous operations captured a trench west of Horgny and expelled the enemy from three small woods south-east of Deniecourt, and occupied several trenches south-west.

Over 1,600 unwounded prisoners have hitherto been counted as the result of two days' fighting in this sector, including 25 officers.

There was reciprocal artillery activity in Champagne.

The French on the left of the Meuse captured a trench on the southern slopes of Morthomme.

PROGRESS EAST OF BERNY.

ENEMY'S ENORMOUS LOSSES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, Sept. 18.

A communiquè says: We carried a trench east of Clery and repulsed enemy counter-attacks here, also east of Berny and south of Deniecourt with heavy enemy losses.

We progressed east of Berny and advanced to the eastern edge of Deniecourt which is completely surrounded. Hitherto we have taken 1,200 prisoners and 10 machine-guns.

The Germans made three violent attacks south of Deniecourt.

The losses of the Tenth Erasatd division at the 120th German Reserve Regiment at Berny yesterday were enormous. Two battalions of the 38th Regiment of the Eleventh Division were almost annihilated.

Two German aeroplanes were brought down. Our air squadrons bombed the railway stations at Nantillois, Villierscarbonel and Horgby causing serious damage.

GERMAN TROOPS IN BELGIUM.

DEMORALISING EFFECT OF ANGLO-FRENCH VICTORIES.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 19.

The "Pioneer's" correspondent cables:—London, September 15:—The "Central News" correspondent at Amsterdam states that it is reported along the Belgian frontier that 13,000 German soldiers have just arrived at Ghent from the Somme front and that they present a startling picture of miserable demoralisation.

The correspondent adds that the stirring events now taking place on the French front have made a great impression in northern Flanders and there are evidences everywhere in Belgium of great excitement among the German occupation troops. The impression prevails that the Germans will not be able to resist the enormous pressure much longer.

LIEUT. RAYMOND ASQUITH KILLED.

PREMIER'S ELDEST SON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

Lieut. Raymond Asquith, eldest son of the Premier, was killed in action on the 15th inst.

Lieut Raymond Asquith, who was a member of the Bar, joined the 16th County of London Regiment as Second-Lieutenant soon after the war broke out. He was transferred to the Grenadier Guards last year. He had a remarkable brilliant career at Oxford where he was educated at Balliol He took first class in Classical Moderations, Humanities and Jurisprudence, won the Craven, Ireland, Derby and Eldon scholarships, was President of the Oxford Union and was appointed Fellow of All Souls. He was called to the bar in 1904 and acted as Junior Counsel for Great Britain in the North Atlantic Fisheries Arbitration at the Hague in 1911 and Junior Counsel to the Inland Revenue in 1914. He married Katherine, daughter of Sir John Honner in 1907 and had two daughters by the marriage. He was 38 years old at the time of his death.

THE BRITISH PUSH.

MOST FORMIDABLE DEFENCES SMASHED THROUGH.

PART PLAYED BY HEAVY ARMOURED-CARS.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

A message from British Headquarters in France gives particulars of the battle on the 15th and 16th. It says that the attack extended from Leuze Wood to Pozieres. The enemy's positions were most formidable and included a treble line of entrenchments connected with strong subsidiary trenches and also protected by advanced positions with machine-guns, while four miles behind was the fourth main line of trenches. The defence was supported by a thousand guns.

Our infantry accompanied by heavy armoured-cars advanced and carried the front enemy line everywhere except at two points. These were neglected temporarily, though later one was taken. Fiers was captured, then Martinpuich and Courcelette.

The positions gained will enable the heavy artillery fire to be directed against the enemy. Our armoured-cars in the van knocked out machine-guns and caused indescribable demoralisation. The enemy counter-attacks were repulsed.

The results of the battle are held to be most important. The engagement is probably the most effective blow the British have yet dealt the enemy, especially to their moral.

Since July 1st the British have engaged 35 German divisions, of which 29 have been defeated and withdrawn exhausted.

ENEMY'S COLOSSAL LOSSES.

WHOLE TRENCHES PAVED WITH CORPSES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 19.

Reuter's representative at Headquarters says that the feature of the fighting on the 15th and 16th was the colossal losses of the enemy, which were undoubtedly a record for a battle of such duration. The enemy dead observed on a wide front on Friday evening outnumbered the British by eight to one. Whole trenches were literally paved with corpses.

BRITISH LINES ADVANCED

GENERAL SITUATION UNCHANGED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

A British communiquè says: South f the river Ancre we improved our positio north of Martinpuich also east of Coucelette. The general situation is unchan ed.

A minor attack upon the elements enemy trenches east of Courcelette was e tirely successful and our lines advanced appreciably here.

The enemy entered one of our trenche west of Mouquet farm under cover heavy shelling but was immediately drive out with loss.

We have taken a further portion an enemy trench system south of Thiepva

The enemy heavily shelled various part of our line at intervals during the night

"QUADRILATERAL" CAPTURED.

LINE ADVANCED 1000 YARDS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 19.

Last night's British communiqué says We made an important advance to-day A strongly fortified German work betwee Bouleaux Wood and Ginchy, styled th Quadrilateral, which had hitherto resiste our efforts, fell completely into our hand resulting in an advance of our linc to depth of a thousand yards on front of mile. Seven machine-guns and numerou prisoners were taken in this very successf operation.

Enemy counter-attacks north of Fle were driven back with loss and we progres ed. Hostile troops massing for a counte attack at Les Boeufs and Morval we caught by our artillery and dispersed.

The following additional guns have bee captured since the 15th instant:—Fiv heavy howitzers, two field guns, thre heavy and three light trench mortars ar a number of machine-guns.

Ten German officers and five hundre men have been captured in the last twenty-four hours

There was considerable aerial activity yesterday. Several enemy machines were driven down. Four of our machines are missing

ALLIES OCCUPY FLORINA.

ENEMY RETIRING TOWARDS MONASTIR.

SERBS PROGRESSING EVERYWHERE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

SALONIKA, Sept. 18.

The Allies have occupied Florina.

A French official message from Salonika says: The Bulgars are falling back in disorder from Florina towards Monastir, following upon a desperate battle with the French and Russians lasting the whole day of the 17th and the following night The Bulgars offered furious resistance, making frequent counter-attacks and charging with cavalry

The Serbs are progressing everywhere.

ON THE HEELS OF THE ENEMY

BULGARS FLEEING FROM MONASTIR.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

ATHENS, Sept. 18.

The Bulgarians are fleeing from Monastir.

The fall of Florina was due to an encircling movement.

LONDON, Sept. 18.

The Bulgarians, while attempting to retreat from combined pressure, were decimated by murderous fire and broke in disorder, abandoning guns. Thousands of Turkish and Bulgarian peasants joined in the flight increasing the panic. When the Allies entered Florina the German garrison, after a slight resistance, fled. The Allies are following on the heels of the Bulgarians towards Monastir, while another Serbian force is advancing to the north of Monastir, the fall of which is expected in a few days.

CAUCASUS CAMPAIGN.

TURKISH ATTACKS REPULSED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

A Russian comuniquè says: On the Western front there has been nothing of importance. In the Caucasus Turkish attacks in the region of the village of Adisa were repulsed.

LAND DREADNOUGHTS.

CONSTERNATION AMONG GERMANS.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

Reuter's correspondent at Headquarters telegraphs that the advent of "tanks" or "land dreadnoughts," as tommies have dubbed the new armoured cars, has caused consternation among the enemy and inspirited the British. The first to enter Flers bore a newspaper placard inscribed, "Great Hun Victory: Extra Special Edition." Eventually it placed out of actioin a battery and a half of enemy field-guns and was followed by the cheers and laughter of tommies.

Another sat over a dugout, from which a German battalion commander emerged and surrendered.

The Boche prisoners near Pozieres were very curious to learn of the happenings at a sugar refinery which was a nest of machine-guns, and which, they were convinced, was impregnable. The fact is a "tank" coughing bullets, burst in the barricaded door, scattering sandbags, and disposed of the machine-guns most effectually then the infantry who had entrenched took the place unopposed, while the ungainly machine clumsily bumped out to continue smashing enemy defences.

The French papers are enthusiastic about the "tanks" which, they state, are fitted with rams.

The "Daily Mail" states that this practical application of travelling forts is due to Colonel Swinton, formerly official "Eyewitness." They were constructed secretly in a midland town.

GERMAN ADMISSION.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

The German-American correspondent Karl Wiegand has been permitted to cable to New York from Berlin that it is very probable that the Germans on the Somme will retreat at various points as the result of what he describes as the tremendous and splendidly executed Anglo-French attack. He says it will not be surprising if Peronne and Combles fall to the Allies.

TURKS IN CANAL REGION.

AGAIN ATTACKED AND PUT TO FLIGHT.

BRITISH VICTORY AT BIR-EL-MAZAR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

General Murray reports that a mobile column of Anzac mounted troops, Camel Corps and artillery left Bir-el-Abd on the 6th instant to reconnoitre west of El Arish. It attacked the enemy at Bir-el-Mazar, 65 miles from the Suez Canal on the 17th instant penetrated his trenches at several points and inflicted considerable casualties, while the artillery heavily shelled the enemy camps.

The Turks were apparently surprised. Our air-craft fired on parties of them including German officers riding rapidly towards El Arish. We took prisoners. Our casualties were slight.

FIGHTING IN DOBRUDJA.

CONFELICTING REPORTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

The situation in Dobrudja is confusing. The only definite information of an alleged enemy victory comes from Bulgarian sources, but the dates are conflicting. The truth appears to be that the Russians and Roumanians have been forced back. It is noteworthy that the German communiqué gives no details of the victory, but merely says that the pursuit continues. Indeed, a Rotterdam telegram describes Berlin as plunged in depression as the result of the official failure to confirm the Kaiser's boast of victory. The telegram says there is growing bitterness against the Kaiser, who is believed to have deliberately misled his subjects with a view to diverting attention from the Somme, where the Germans were taught to believe that the positions captured by the British were impregnable.

SERBIAN DIVISION ROUTS THE ENEMY

A telegram from Odessa says a Serbian division in the early fighting in Dobrudja repulsed eighteen attacks by Germans and Bulgarians, and routed with the bayonet German cavalry, which tried to take the Serbians in rear, after three hours' close-quarters fighting The enemy lost approximately 5,000.

MACKENSEN'S OFFENSIVE IN DOBRUDJA.

ARRESTED BY RUSSO-ROUMANIAN COUNTER-OFFENSIVE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 19.

The "Pioneer's" correspondent cables:—The "Daily Telegraph's" Rome correspondent transmits a Petrograd report that General Mackensten's offensive in the Dobrudja has been arrested on the whole front by the Russo-Roumanian counter-offensive. The enemy even had to retire from Salistria.

ROUMANIAN ADVANCE IN TRANSYLVANIA.

FOGARAS OCCUPIED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 18.

A telegram to "The Times" from Roumanian Headquarters, dated the 17th says the Russian and Roumanian forces in Dobrudja are taking up strong positions on the line from Rasova, ten miles south of Tchernavoda, to Tazla, twelve miles south of Constanza.

The Roumanians continue to advance in Transylvania and have occupied the town of Fogaras, taking 800 prisoners.

A German communiqué states that the Roumanians have reached Szekelyudvarehl, 15 miles north-east of Brasso.

ROUMANIANS CROSS ALUTA RIVER,

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Sept 19.

A "Civil and Military Gazette" cable says:—

A Vienna statement announces that the Roumanians have begun to cross the Aiuta river eastwards of Forgaras.

IMPERIAL COUNCIL.

SECOND MEETING OF AUTUMN SESSION

SOME BILLS PASSED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

SIMLA, Sept. 19.

The second meeting of the Autumn Session of the Imperial Legislative Council was held this morning in the Council Chamber at the Viceregal Lodge, his Excellency the Viceroy presiding.

Mr. D. E. Wacha, the Rajah of Mahmudabad and Nawab Ali Chaudhury, took the Oath of Allegiance.

After the interpellations Mr. G. R. Lowndes introduced the Bill to amend certain enactments. He said the Bill was a formal one, embodying some formal changes including the insertion of the Patna High Court in the various enactments. He hoped following the usual practice he would ask the Council to pass the Bill at the next meeting of the Council.

Mr. Lowndes in moving for leave to introduce a Bill to consolidate the enactments relating to Indian Steam Vessels said:—

"This is a pure consolidating bill. The Inland Steam Vessels Act of 1884 has been amended by no less than seven Acts, and three of these amending Acts have again been amended by other Acts. The object of the present Bill is to collect the provisions relating to Inland steam vessels which are scattered about in several Acts and to incorporate them in one Act without making any change in substance in the law. As it now stands, the result will be that the law will be more easily ascertainable, that one Act will take the place of four on the statute book, and that provisions relating to Inland steam vessels now to be found in six other Acts will be omitted therefrom. The fact that the general clauses of Act 10 of 1897 will apply to the Bill when passed, has rendered it unnecessary to retain some provision of the Act of 1884. The opportunity has been taken to incorporate alterations of a formal character with a view to improve the language as well as the arrangement of the sections of the existing Act. In conclusion Mr. Lowndes said that the Bill would again come up for consideration in the Delhi session.

After leave was granted Mr. Lowndes asked for and obtained permission to have the Bill and the statement of objects and reasons relating them published in all Government Gazettes except the Fort St. George Gazette.

On the motion of Sir Reginald Craddock the bill to amend the Lunacy Act 1912 was taken into consideration and passed.

Mr. Jinnah presented the Select Committee's report on behalf of Mr. Setalvad on the Disposition of Property Bill.

The Council was adjourned to the 27th instant

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

REFORMS AFTER WAR.

Mr. B. N. Sarma asked:—1. Will Government be pleased to state whether they are contemplating the introduction, after the war, of any changes (a) in the strength and composition of the Indian Imperial and Provincial Executive Councils and (b) in the strength, composition and powers of the Imperial and Provincial Legislative Councils? 2. Is it a fact that on some previous occasion or occasions changes contemplated with regard to the Imperial and Provincial Legislative Councils were published for general criticism and suggestions, before they were finally sent up to or considered by the Secretary of State? 3. If the answer to part 1 (a) or 1 (b) is in the affirmative do Government intend publishing their recommendations before the same are finally sent up to the Secretary of State? 4. If the answer to (3) is in the negative, will Government be pleased to give the reasons for their intention not to publish their recommendations?

Sir Reginald Craddock replying said:—"The Government of India are unable at present to make any statement in the matter."

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT AFTER WAR.

Mr. B. N. Sarama asked:—(a) Will Government be pleased to state whether they are contemplating the introduction, after the war, of any changes in the strength, composition, and powers of District and Local Boards and Presidency and Mofussil municipalities; (b) if so do Government propose (1) to publish their proposals before the same are finally approved and (2) to consider the desirability of postponing all Local Self-Government legislation till the war is over?

Sir Sankaran Nair replying said the Government of India look forward to an extension of local self-government, but have not laid down any definite scheme for introduction after the war.

PROPOSED NAGPUR UNIVERSITY.

Sir C. Sankaran Nair replying to Mr. Bishan Dutt Shukul's question regarding the establishment of a university at Nagpur said:—There have been informal discussions between the officers of the Department of Education and those of the local Administration but no definite proposals have yet been submitted to the Government of India.

CHIEF COURT FOR C. P.

Sir Reginald Craddock replying to Dr. Taj Bishan Dutt Shukul's question regarding

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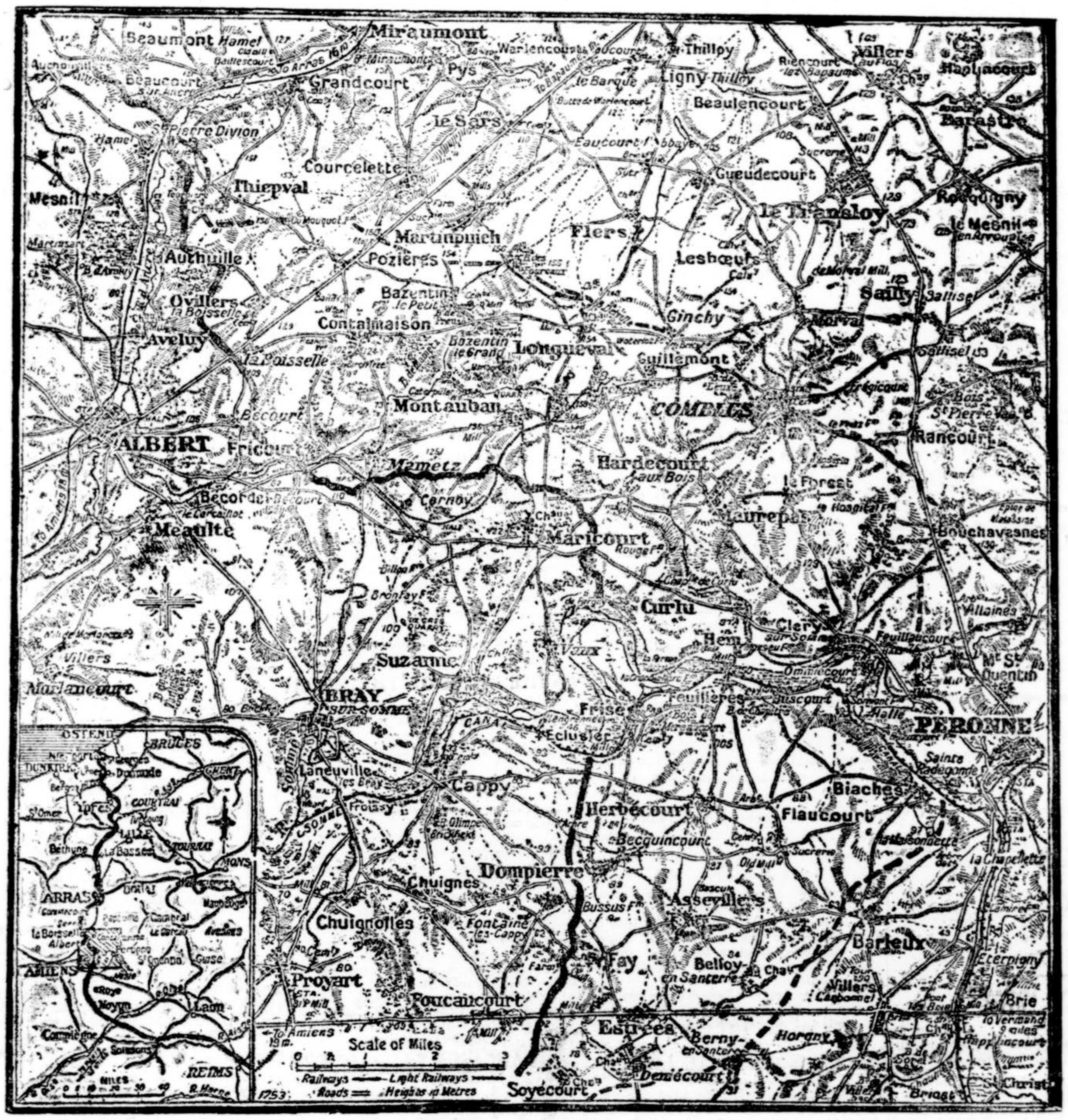
THE BIG PUSH ON THE SOMME.



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THE THICK BLACK LINE MARKS THE ALLIED FRONT BEFORE JULY 1, WHEN THE BIG PUSH BEGAN. THE DOTTED LINE SHOWS THE POSITION BEFORE FRIDAY LAST. SINCE THEN THE ALLIES HAVE ACHIEVED REMARKABLE SUCCESSES AND ISOLATED COMBLES AND PERONNE, THE TWO GERMAN STRONGHOLDS ON THE SOMME. THE NEW ANGLO-FRENCH LINE RUNS FROM COURCELLETE, THROUGH MARTINPUICH, FLERS, GUINCHY, RANCOURT, BOUCHAVESNES, BIACHES TO DENIECOURT.

THE DEPORTATION CASE.

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CASE AGAINST JAMADAR WITHDRAWN.

COMPLAINANT AND MR CASSUM MITHA.

TAKI ACTING UNDER COMMISSIONER'S ORDERS.

The Fourth Presidency Magistrate at Mazagaon, yesterday resumed the hearing of the case in which Allarkhia Abba charged Rahat Yar Khan Yar Mahomed, a Jamadar in the C.I.D., and Inspector Mahomed Hussein Taki, also of the C.I.D., with wrongful restraint, wrongful confinement and abetment.

Mr. Weldon, instructed by Mr. C. N. Kanuga and Mr. K. F. Nariman, appeared for the complainant while Mr. T. J. Strangman, instructed by Mr. Nicholson, Government Solicitor, represented the accused.

Mr. Weldon at the outset said that as Rahat Yar Khan was the junior officer to Taki, he would suggest that the case against the latter should be taken first, as the second case would depend on how the first case proceeded. It was not proper as his Worship had said to consolidate the two cases into one.

The Magistrate said he could not understand the charge of wrongful restraint from the information.

Mr. Weldon said the offences were these. The complainant was arrested at the Colaba Station and the wrongful restraint begun there. He was then taken to Taki's bungalow, from where he was taken to the Police Station.

The Magistrate then took Rahat Yar Khan's case first.

Mr. Strangman said the accused was charged under sections 341 and 342. The offence under the first section came under the category of a summons case and under the latter section it was a warrant case.

After some further discussion the Court suggested to Mr. Weldon that he would have to abandon the charge of wrongful confinement.

Rahat Yar Khan was then discharged as regards the charge of wrongful confinement.

Mr. Weldon said that now that he knew that Rahat Yar Khan acted under the orders of his superiors, he would like to withdraw the other charge also against him. The accused had no malice against the complainant; he had carried out the orders of his superiors.

Mr. Strangman said if Mr. Weldon wished to withdraw he would not oppose him.

Mr. Weldon said if the accused had refused to tell why he had done all this, he would have proceeded against him.

The Magistrate thereupon discharged Rahat Yar Khan, and the charge against Inspector Taki was taken up.

REFUSAL TO FALL AT MR. CASSUM MITHA'S FEET.

The complainant was then examined by Mr. Weldon. He said he had seen the accused a month previous to the order which was handed him. He was called there and the accused told him that the Government wanted him to leave Bombay. He asked the accused what was the reason of this and told him that he had committed no offence for which he could be asked to go out of Bombay. The accused said that the complainant was already aware of the reasons. Witness then said he did not know anything. The accused told him that the cause of all this was his refusal to go to the "pedhi" of Suleman Haji Cassum Mitha and to fall at his feet. Witness said he would then go to Ajmere if the Government desired him to go out of Bombay. The accused noted this statement down; after two days the accused again called him and took him to Mr. Griffiths, the Deputy Commissioner of Police, C.I.D. There the accused and Mr. Griffiths told him that he would not be allowed to go to Ajmere, as he had desired. Witness told him that he would act according to the Government orders. Then he left the place. Two days after that he was again called for by Taki, and he took him to Mr. Vincent, who also told him that he would not be allowed to go to Ajmere. Witness again replied that he would act according to the Government orders and left the office. He had not received the written order from the Government, at the time all this conversation took place. It was one month before that. The notice was served on him on the 23rd August and nothing happened during the interval. On the 25th August Jamadar Rahat Yar Khan came to witness' house; before that he had gone to his pleader, Mr. Kanuga, to consult him. He had also been to see Messrs. Daphtary, Fereira and Diwan his solicitors.

"PLEASURE OF GOING TO AJMERE."

When the Jamadar came to his house he asked witness as to when he was going to Cutch. He (witness) told him that he was not proceeding to Cutch, but to Ajmere. Then the Jamadar left the place and returned again half-an-hour after and told witness that Taki wanted him. Witness went to the Central Police Office and Taki told him that he was to go to Cutch and not Ajmere. Witness said that the order required him to go out of the Presidency, and he could go to Ajmere. Taki then told him to put the order into his pockets and to do as he bade him. There was nobody there at the time. Taki also said that if he did not do as he was ordered, witness would get into trouble. Witness then left. On the 26th he went to the Colaba Station. The Commissioner had asked him to leave by the 26th August. The witness purchased his ticket at the Kalbadevi Booking Office and booked his luggage by the Gujarat Mail. The complainant then related what had happened at the station, a report of which has already appeared in these columns. At the Police station at Nagpada he was searched and all his money was taken from him. He was locked up till 2-30 p.m., the next day. He was then taken to Taki's bungalow by Hussein. Taki laughed and asked witness. "Have you enjoyed the pleasure of going to Ajmere." Witness told him that it was his misfortune. For the past seven or eight years he knew Taki. He was on good terms with him, until a year ago when there was a false case against him and Taki was telling him that he would have to leave Bombay and go to Cutch.

Cross-examination was reserved.

JAMADAR'S STORY.

Rahat Yar Khan Mahomed Yar Khan was then examined by Mr. Weldon. He was a Jamadar in the C.I.D. He was at Colaba Station on 26th August at 9 p.m., and the accused came there at 9-15 p.m. As soon as he came witness asked him to show him the ticket, to enable him to take down the number, so as to mark it in the suspect form. The Railway Sergeant was with him. He took down the number. Witness told the Sergeant and the complainant that he would not be allowed to go to Ajmere. The complainant produced the Government order and showed it to the Railway Police Inspector, who said that the complainant was right and could go to Ajmere. Then witness asked the inspector to look at the suspect form which he had, also the telegram which was to be despatched to Cutch under the Commissioner's orders after the train had started. The Inspector said that witness also was in the right. Witness then asked the complainant to accompany him to his Sahib and if he permitted him he could go to Ajmere the next day. He (witness) had two C.I.D. men with him. He had gone to Colaba under the orders of the accused. Witness was sure the complainant was going to Cutch and he had no orders as to what to do if the complainant did not go there. He had a verbal order to go to Colaba, and he had also the telegram to be despatched after the train started. He asked the complainant to take out the luggage and, accompany him. Taki was not in his house, and the complainant, therefore, was taken to Takis' brother's house; he reported to the accused that Allarkhia was not proceeding to Cutch. The accused told the complainant that it was wrong on his part not to go to Cutch; and that he had reported the matter to the Commissioner and had received orders from him to lock up the complainant. The accused then gave witness a chit to have the complainant locked up at the Nagpada Police Station. He took Allarkhia in a victoria to the Nagpada Police Station, and gave the chit to the Sub-Inspector on duty. This was about 11 p.m. The complainant was searched and locked up. The interview of the complainant with Taki lasted for about fifteen minutes. There is no telephone there. Witness did not inform the accused by telephone from Colaba about what had happened.

Allarkhia was recalled and in reply to the the Court; said he did not know under whose orders the Jamadar took him to the lock-up.

Inspector Smith examined by Mr. Weldon produced the chit under which the complainant was locked up. It was signed by the accused. The complainant was locked up from 9-45 p.m., to 2 p.m., the next day.

Mahomed Hussein Mahomed Taki, questioned by the Court said the complainant was brought to him at about 10-30 on the night in question. He gave the chit to lock up the complainant to Rahat Yar Khan. Under witness' orders the complainant was locked up until the next day.

THE DEFENCE.

Mr. Strangman said the defence was that the accused first communicated with Mr. Griffiths and the latter communicated with Mr. Vincent and it was under his orders that the complainant was locked up. He had acted under the express orders of the Commissioner of Police.

The accused was then formally charged under section 342 for wrongful confinement and he pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Strangman said he would finish his case in a very short time after examining the Police Commissioner and Mr. Griffiths.

The case was adjourned to Thursday next.

ILLICIT POSSESSION OF OPIUM.

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ACCUSED GETS SIX WEEKS' HARD LABOUR.

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, before the Chief Presidency Magistrate Chief Excise Inspector Kuverji Darasha charged Abdulla Ismail, a tindal, with possessing about eight pounds of Persian opium valued at Rs. 400 without a license. Mr. M. S. Noronha defended the accused.

It was alleged that in consequence of certain information received that the accused had been smuggling opium, his movements were watched. He was going along Frere Road with a bundle in his hand on Monday evening when he was taken by surprise by Mr. Darasha and Excise Inspector N. C. Cama. On its being examined the bundle was found to contain opium.

The accused pleaded guilty and said he did not know the contents of the bundle which was given him by another person, a Bengali.

The Magistrate sentenced the accused to six weeks' rigurous imprisonment.

HIRE BEYOND BOMBAY LIMITS.

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TAXIS DRIVER NOT BOUND TO ACCEPT.

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, the Chief Presidency Magistrate disposed of the case in which Inspector Hobson charged Darabsha Pallonji and Bapuji Sorabji, taxi-car drivers, with contravening rule No. 46 of the Bombay Plying for Hire Rules.

Mr. K. F. Nariman defended the accused.

Inspector Hobson drew the attention of the Court to one of the Plying for Hire Rules which was as follows: "The driver shall, in the absence of reasonable cause to the contrary, proceed to the destination, named by the hirer, by the shortest and quickest route."

The Magistrate said the rule did not apply here. If a passenger asked to be taken to Malad and if after he was taken there a dispute arose as to the amount of fare to be paid, how was it to be settled, as the rules did not give a schedule of fares beyond the limits of the town and island of Bombay?

Mr. Hobson said that should be arranged by the passenger and the driver beforehand.

The Magistrate said that was so but then it became a question of special contract between the parties. There were two classes of fares provided in the schedule (1) for any distance within a radius of five miles from the Victoria Railway Station, and (2) for any distance within the town and island of Bombay if hired or taken beyond the five miles radius. Rates of fares had been fixed for these distance and not beyond that. If the rules had contemplated that taxi drivers plying for hire in Bombay should also ply for hire in Salsette or beyond the limits of the town and island of Bombay, then they would certainly have provided a further scale of charges. But this had not been done, and there was no provision to enable a taxi driver to prosecute a passenger for not paying the proper fare.

Mr. Hobson said there was no schedule of fares for journeys outside the limits of the town and island of Bombay.

The Magistrate then giving his decision said there was no doubt upon the evidence that Mr. Caroe the complainant, went and asked the accused to take him to Pali Hill, Bandra, for hire and they refused, one saying that he had no petrol and the other making another excuse. It was unnecessary to decide whether the excuses were lawful or otherwise. The question was whether a taxi driver, whose car was registered in Bombay and who was plying for hire in Bombay, was bound to accept him as a legal fare under Rule 46. After considering the rules carefully the Magistrate did not think that the drivers were bound to accept a fare for a place which was beyond the limits of the town and island of Bombay. The schedule of fares had provided rates for two classes of journeys: (1) within a radius of five miles from the Victoria Station and (2) beyond that the within the limits of the town and island of Bombay. Thus, the schedule had only provided for fares within the limits of the town and island of Bombay. Obviously the rules did not contemplate that the Bombay taxi drivers should accept a fare for a distance beyond these limits.

Both the accused were acquitted.

BENGAL AMBULANCE CORPS.

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THREE MENTIONED IN DESPATCHES.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 19.

Telegraphic advice states that seven members of the Bengal Ambulance Corps among those who were taken prisoners after Ctesiphon or the surrender of Kut have been exchanged. They left Basra and are expected shortly at Bombay. Privates Lalit Mohan Bannerji, Jagadish Chandra Mitra and Mathew Jacob of the Bengal Ambulance Corps have been mentioned in Sir John Nixon's despatches for gallantry.

POST-WAR TRADE CONFERENCE.

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TO BE HELD IN NOVEMBER OR DECEMBER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 19.

It is stated although the date of the proposed conference of Chambers of Commerce on trade after the war, has not yet been definitely fixed, it seems probable a meeting will take place at Delhi in November or December. In order to secure the views of the commercial community on various questions relating to post-war trade, the Government are addressing to Chambers a series of questions which may be expected to form a basis of the discussion at the proposed conference.

Her Excellency Lady Willingdon has subscribed Rs. 250 (two hundred and fifty) to the "Jamnabai Nagindas Sakkai's Memorial Fund."

IMPERIAL COUNCIL.

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the constitution of a Chief Court at Nagpur, said:—The recommendations of the local Administration on this subject have not yet been received.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL FOR U. P.

Sir Reginald Craddock replying to Tej Bahadur Sapru's question regarding the establishment of an Executive Council in the United Provinces, said:—The Government of India have renewed their recommendation to the Secretary of State for the establishment of an Executive Council in the United Provinces. They are not in a position at present to give further information on the subject.

PATNA UNIVERSITY.

Sir C. Sankaran Nair replying to Maharaja Sir Manindra Chandra Nandi's question regarding new Universities in India, said:—Schemes for universities at Dacca, Patna, Rangoon and Nagpur are in various stages of preparation. It is not possible to say when each of these is likely to be established, but it is proposed to introduce legislation in connection with the Patna scheme at this session. The Patna scheme contemplates a mixed type of University but the exact type to which the other proposed universities may conform cannot be definitely stated at present.

SCHOOL FINAL EXAMINATION.

In the course of a reply to the Maharajah of Cassimbazar's question regarding the School Final Examination Sir C. Sankaran Nair, said:—The Government of India have not laid down any general rules with regard to the control of the school final system, and the arrangements vary in the different Provinces. There are boards consisting of official and non-official educational experts in Madras, the United Provinces and the Central Provinces. Similar boards have been proposed for Bihar and Orissa and Ajmer-Merwara.

EMIGRATION TO COLONIES.

Mr. B. N. Sarma asked:—(a) With reference to the statement on the subject made by his Excellency the President in his speech in Council on the 5th instant, will the Government be pleased to state (1) when approximately the discussion on the question of emigration to the Colonies is expected to take place in London? (2) Whether India will be represented at such discussion by the Secretary of State or by any special officer or officers from this country deputed for the purpose, and whether the services of any representative non-official Indian will be utilised? (b) Is there any intention to consider what the respective relations and the relative positions of India the Colonies. and the other integral parts of the British Empire should be therein after the war? (c) If the answer to (b) is in the affirmative, do Government propose to consider the desirability of suggesting the postponement of such a discussion on the ground that it is controversial?

Sir George Barnes, in reply, said:—The Conference between the Indian Office and the Colonial Office to which the hon. member refers, will, we believe, take place in January next. The India Office will be represented by Lord Islington, the Under-Secretary of State and an officer who will be specially deputed by the Government of India for the purpose from this country. The answer to part (b) of the hon. member's question is in the negative and part (c) consequently does not arise.

THE JUTE CONTRACT.

Sir George Barnes replying to questions regarding the jute contract with Messrs. Ralli Brothers said that the Government of India stated that the arrangement was made without the knowledge of the Secretary of State or of the Government of India. He read extracts from telegrams from Mr. Chamberlain to the Viceroy and said the Government was in close communication with the Secretary of State on the subject and that Mr. Low was at present at Calcutta to consult with the various interests concerned.

GOKHALE MEMORIAL.

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A STATUE AND ENDOWMENT FOR SERVANTS OF INDIA.

A meeting of the general committee of the Gokhale Memorial Fund was held yesterday in the Municipal Corporation Hall, Bombay, Mr. G. S. Rao presiding.

Mr. Jehangir B. Petit, one of the Honorary Secretaries, said the total of funds collected with interest amounted to Rs. 120,000

On the motion of Mr. J. A. Wadia, seconded by Sir V. D. Thackersey, the statement of accounts was approved and adopted, and it was resolved to authorise the Secretaries to convene a meeting of the subscribers for determining the disposal of the funds collected, with the recommendation of the General and Executive Committees that (1) an order be placed with Mr. Mahatre for full-sized statue of Mr. Gokhale with pedestal, railing etc., for an amount not exceeding Rs. 20,000, and that (2) the balance after providing for all the necessary charges, including maintenance charges, if necessary, be utilised for an endowment to be vested in Trustees for the benefit of the Servants of India Society, the corpus to be kept intact and the interest thereof only to be utilised towards the purposes of the Society, and that the Executive Committee be authorised to take steps to obtain a suitable site for the statue and to do everything else to put this resolution into effect.

A vote of thanks to the Chairman terminated the proceedings.

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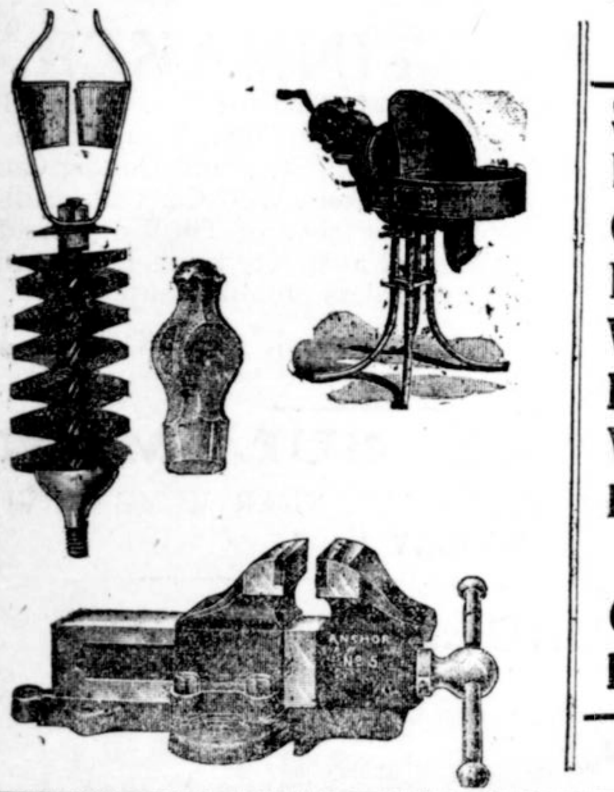

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CASUALTY LISTS.

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(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 11.

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Second-Lieut H C Bernard, Gloucesters.
Second-Lieut H A Butters, Artillery.
Second-Lieut W C Carbonnell, South Staffords.
Second-Lieut H A S Carpenter, Royal Scots.
Second-Lieut C W F Finch-Noyes, North Lancashire.
Second-Lieut J A Flowers, Sussex.
Lieut-Colonel W B Gibbs, Worcesters.
Second-Lieut F B Gill, Duke of Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut C Goodwill, West Yorkshires.
Captain C S Goodwin, Artillery.
Captain C J Griffin, West Surreys.
Lieutenant R E Hodgson, North Staffords.
Second-Lieut L V Hubbard, Middlesex.
Second-Lieut A M Jameson, Leinsters.
Second-Lieut R S Jones, Worcesters.
Captain H King, Worcesters.
Second-Lieut H E McCutcheon, Worcesters.
Second-Lieut R W Macfarlane, Artillery.
Captain J Mould, Worcesters.
Second-Lieut C B Newman, Duke of Wellingtons
Second-Lieut R A E O'Connor, Leinsters.
Second-Lieut J C Tuckey, Middlesex.
Second-Lieut H A Wyllie, West Corkshire.
Second-Lieut F W Terroll, Gloucesters.

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Second-Lieut H E Ginn, Worcesters.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Captain S R Hockady, Monmouths.
Captain J L Oddy, West Yorkshires.
Second-Lieut R S Richardson, Machine-gun Corps.
Second-Lieut T W Roberts, Cheshires.

WOUNDED.

Captain T M C G Allison, Gloucesters.
Second-Lieut C J Arnall, East Surreys.
Second-Lieut G N Baines, West Yorkshires.
Scond-Lieut C N Barker, Dorsets.
Second-Lieut F W C Barker, Artillery.
Lieut C Barrington, Gloucesters.
Lieut-Col H, D S O Bayley, Artillery.
Second-Lieut G W Bellingham, South Stafffords.
Second-Lieut E G Bicknell, East Surreys.
Captain E Billington, West Yorkshires.
Lieut J K Bostock, North Staffords.
Captain B H Bright, Worcesters.
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Second-Lieut R M Burdon, West Surreys.
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Second-Lieut E S Cox, South Staffords.
Second-Lieut A P V Daly, Connaughts.
Second-Lieut R E Davies, Duke of Wellingtons.
Lieut D M Dawson, Northumberlands.
Rev. P D Devas, Chaplain.
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Lieut C W Ellen, Engineers.
Second-Lieut G F Elliott, South Staffords.
Second-Lieut H J Emery, South Staffords.
Second-Lieut F S Emsley, Duke of Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut L C Evans, Gloucesters.
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Captain J Fitzpatrick, Manchesters.
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Secon-dLieut E A Grigg, Cornwallis Light Infantry.
Second-Lieut T W D Hackett, Artillery.
Lieut G P Harding, Cheshires.
Lieut W H J Harris, Artillery.
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Second-Lieut L Hilborne, Gloucesters.
Second-Lieut A N Hingley, Middlesex.
Second-Lieut J H Hodgson, West Yorkshires.
Major P A Holmes, Irish Regiment.
Second-Lieut F Houghton, Manchesters.
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Lieut L Jaques, Duke of Wellingtons.
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Second-Lieut R A Johnson, Suffolks.
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Second-Lieut A Laird, Gloucesters.
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Lieut P P Legg, Wiltshires.
Second-Liuet T M Lewin, Manchesters.
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Captain H T MacMullen, East Lancashires.
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Major D L Maxwell, Yeomanry.
Lieut H Mitchell, Medicals.
Captain W T Murchie, Scots Fusiliers.
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Lieut J H Ramsden Wiltshires.
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Second-Lieut F W Rennie, Flying Corps.
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Second-Lieut S Reynolds, Gloucesters.
Second-Lieut R J Roberts, Cheshires.
Captain E A Robinson, Gloucesters.
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Second-Lieut J R Rowley, Artillery.
Second-Lieut T M Scanlan, Northumberlands.
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Second-Lieut R Schuh, Devons.
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Second-Lieut A B Sparrow, Hampshires.
Second-Lieut F Stephenson, North Lancashires.
Major D Stewart, Artillery.
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Captain G E St C Stockwell, Medicals.
Lieut C R Stuttaford, Middlesex.
Second-Lieut T L Swain, Manchesters.
Lieut G R A Syfret, North Staffords.
Second-Lieut J A Tait, Artillery.
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Captain A K Totton, Cornwall Light Infantry.
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Lieut E Wood, Manchesters.
Second-Lieut N Wodhead, West Yorkshires.
Second-Lieut P A Wright, Flying Corps.
Second-Lieut A F Young, Cheshires.

MISSING BELIEVED KILLED.

Lieut C P J Brooke, Wiltshires.

MISSING BELIEVED WOUNDED.

Captain J W G Smith, South Staffords.

MISSING.

Second-Lieut E P M Barton, Wiltshires.
Lieut-Colonel H T Cotton, South Lancashires.
Second-Lieut H C Evans, DSO, Flying Corps.
Second-Lieut T E Henderson, South Staffords.
Second-Lieut F D H Hams, Flying Corps.
Captain P A Stovold, West Surreys.
Second-Lieut I A While, North Staffords.

OFFICIAL CORRECTION.

KILLED.

Second-Lieut B H Glover, Trench Mortar Battery, should read Captain B H Glover, Trench Mortar Battery.

LONDON, Sept. 12.

The following casualties are announced:—

KILLED.

Lieut C L Duff-Gordon, Herefords.
Second-Lieut W B Duncan, Black Watch.
Second-Lieut A E Hirst, Wellingtons.
Captain C Hirst, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut F A Innes, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut A S Leresche, West Yorks.
Second-Lieut R C K Mill, Black Watch.
Lieut J T Riley, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut R A Sharp, Artillery.
Second-Lieut J C Walker, Cambridgeshires.
Captain A C Watson, West Yorks.

UNOFFICIALLY KILLED.

Lieut-Colonel E M Hughes.

WOUNDED.

Second-Lieut A J Berwick, Artillery.
Second-Lieut E L Bird, Gloucesters.
Second-Lieut D Black, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut C H Bokers, Cambridgeshires.
Lieut J Burrows, West Yorks.
Major R Cattley, West Yorks.
Second-Lieut C L Corfield, Cambridgeshires.
Lieut W A M Cox, Black Watch.
Second-Lieut M R Da Costa, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut P F Farnish, Yorkshire Light Infantry.
Captain L C Frisby, Welsh Regiment.
Second-Lieut D S Guthrie, Black Watch.
Lieut E W Harris, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut S G Hearn, West Yorks.
Second-Lieut W J Holdich, West Yorks.
Second-Lieut F L Hudson, Middlesex.
Captain R Kirk, Cheshires.
Second-Lieut E Lumb, Wellingtons.
Lieut T C Margerison, West Yorks.
Second-Lieut N W Matheson, Engineers.
Second-Lieut G H Mills, Welsh Regiment.
Lieut S Pearson Engineers.
Second-Lieut H E Pohlmann, Wellingtons.
Captain J L Rettie, Black Watch.
Second-Lieut A E Reynolds, West Yorks.
Second-Lieut G F Robertshaw, Wellingtons.
Lieut W L Robertson, Black Watch.
Captain L E Rutherford, Liverpools.
Second-Lieut W Smith, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut E T Sykes, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut H Symons, Hertfords.
Lieut A R Tanfield, Worcesters.
Second-Lieut H Taylor, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut C H Taynton, Artillery
Second-Lieut A K Verity, Artillery.

WOUNDED AND MISSING.

Second-Lieut E C Mee, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut T C Vause, West Yorks.

MISSING BELIEVED KILLED.

Second-Lieut E E Brannigan, West Yorks.
Second-Lieut G Penny, West Yorks.
Second-Lieut C W Rush, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut L Whitelaw, Wellingtons.

WOUNDED AND MISSING BELIEVED KILLED.

Second-Lieut V A Horsfall, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut O W Tomlinson, Wellingtons.

MISSING BELIEVED WOUNDED.

Second-Lieut J R N Riley, Wellingtons.

MISSING.

Second-Lieut J C Bottomley, West Yorks.
Captain R C Cunningham, Black Watch.
Lieut W N Everitt, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut G R Gletehill, Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut A McLintock Wellingtons.
Second-Lieut R Middleton, West Yorks.
Second-Lieut C H Mitchell, West Yorks.
Second-Lieut W T Senior, West Yorks.
Captain E A Shepherd, Black Watch.
Second-Lieut E A Turner, West Yorks.
Lieut G K Will, West Yorks.

NAVAL CASUALTIES.

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LONDON, Sept. 15.

The following casualties are announced:—

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Engineer-Sub-Lieut John Purdy, Reserve Royal Naval Division.
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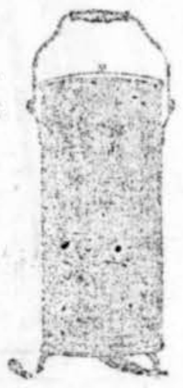

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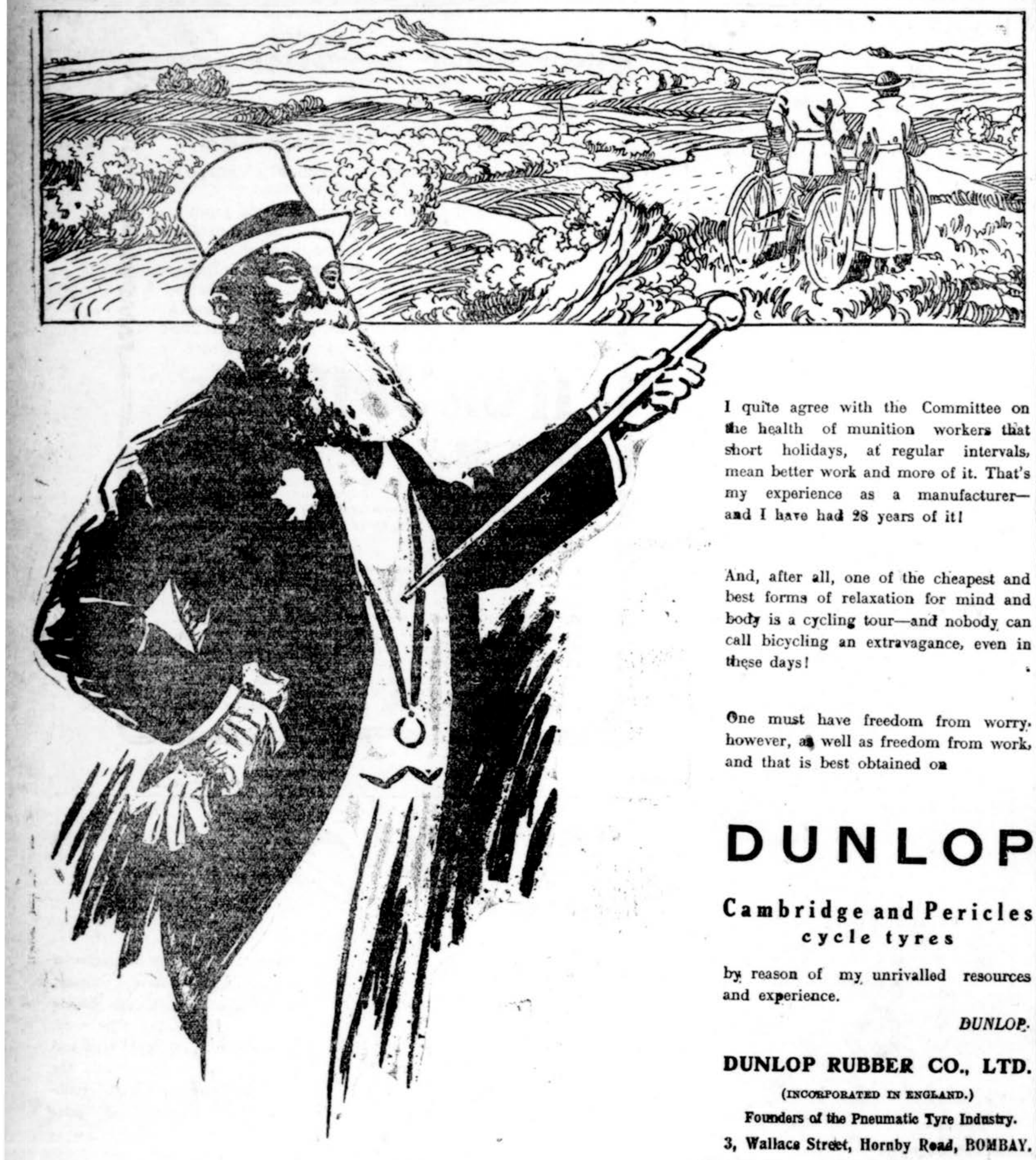

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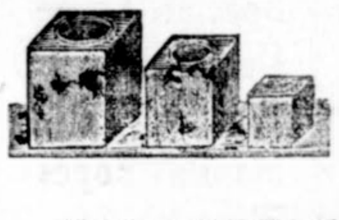

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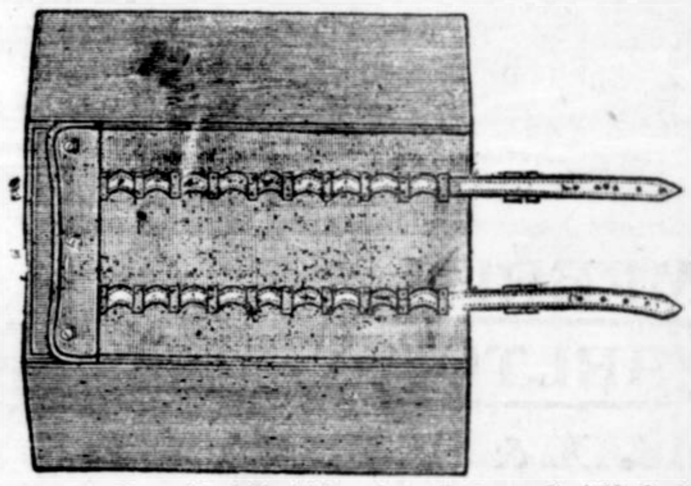

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